

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: January 27, 1961

FROM : W. C. Sullivan

SUBJECT: **LECTURES ON COMMUNISM  
INFORMATION CONCERNING (CENTRAL RESEARCH MATTER)**

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Mr. Evers

Mr. Conrad

During 1960 I gave 68 lectures on communism throughout the United States. For the first six months of 1961 I have 53 lectures scheduled. Therefore, in a year and a half, 121 lectures will have been given.

During this period of time I have been developing other men in the Central Research Section to handle lectures. We now have three going out on assignments and two more being developed for this kind of work.

Commencing with the Fall of 1961, with Bureau permission, I intend to be highly selective in the lectures accepted, reducing greatly the number of my public appearances. The reasoning behind this suggestion is two-fold: (1) because of the greatly increased familiarity of the citizens with the Director's articles, speeches, and his book "Masters of Deceit," the large number of people around the country speaking against communism, the attention given to it in the press and related media, and the many well-organized seminars conducted (in which the Bureau has participated), I do believe the citizenry of our Nation is being fully alerted to the communist danger; and (2) with Bureau permission, I would like to devote more of my time to substantive, administrative, and policy work.

RECOMMENDATION:

For the information of the Director.

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- 1 - Mr. Parsons
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. M. A. Jones
- 1 - Section tickler
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan

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January 17, 1961

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**Denver Chamber of Commerce**  
**Denver 4, Colorado**

Dear [Redacted]

It was indeed considerate of you to write on January 9 regarding the recent appearance of Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan before the Members Council of the Denver Chamber of Commerce.

I am, of course, pleased that Mr. Sullivan's remarks were so well received, and you can be sure he appreciates, as I do, your kind comments and thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

- 1 - Denver - Enclosure
- 1 - Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan - Enclosure

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DENVER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
DENVER 4, COLORADO

EXECUTIVE OFFICES

January 9, 1961

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

It was our privilege to have Mr. W. C. Sullivan speak to our Members Council meeting of Friday, January 6, 1961. His presentation on the subject of the Communist challenge to the United States was most stimulating and was received very well by our members.

We in the Denver Chamber are very much concerned about the Communist problem, so much so that one of our committees has designated the subject as its major project. Mr. Sullivan's remarks were most timely insofar as this program is concerned, and we are hopeful that an increased awareness of the threat of Communism will lead to positive measures to combat effectively the continuing attack upon us.

We are most interested in and appreciative of the work of the FBI in connection with Communism, and we are particularly grateful for the appearance of Mr. Sullivan and the cooperation we have received from the local office of the FBI.

Yours very truly



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cc: 

FBI, New Custom House  
19th and Stout Streets  
Denver, Colorado

JAMES A. WALSH  
DISTRICT JUDGE

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF ARIZONA  
JUDGE'S CHAMBERS  
TUCSON, ARIZONA

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Mr. Mohr	
Mr. DeLoach	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Conrad	
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Mr. Gale	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Sullivan	
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Mr. Holmes	
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January 18, 1961

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I thought I should drop you a note and tell you how much I and an audience of several thousand other Tucsonans enjoyed Chief Inspector Sullivan's lecture presented at the Sunday Evening Forum on January 15th. To say that Mr. Sullivan's presentation was appreciated and well received is an understatement. The fact is that when the moderator closed the question period, the audience arose and gave Mr. Sullivan a standing ovation; and all with whom I have discussed the lecture since Sunday have expressed their feeling of pleasure and profit for having attended.

Thanking you for making Mr. Sullivan's appearance in Tucson possible, and with kindest regards, I remain

Sincerely yours,

James A. Walsh

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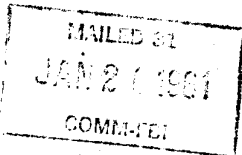
Honorable James A. Walsh  
United States District Judge  
Tucson, Arizona

My dear Judge:

I want to express my thanks for your letter of January 18, 1961. You were kind to write concerning Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan's recent appearance on the Sunday Evening Forum.

It is always encouraging to receive such generous comments regarding my associates, and you may be sure that Mr. Sullivan appreciates your favorable remarks. He enjoyed being with you on this occasion.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover



1 - Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan - Enclosure

NOTE: Bufiles contain no derogatory information regarding Judge Walsh, and we have had prior limited correspondence with him.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont (11/10)

FROM : W. C. Sullivan

SUBJECT: LECTURES ON COMMUNISM  
INFORMATION CONCERNING  
(CENTRAL RESEARCH MATTER)

DATE: 2/10/61

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Mr. Tavel \_\_\_\_\_

In all the years I have been lecturing I have never made reference to any favorable comments on my lectures in letters to me. However, in view of some of the recent attacks on my lectures from factions of the right wing, it may not be in poor taste to set forth some comments recently received concerning lectures given by me.

Set forth below are some statements taken from a letter to me written by a [redacted] of the University of Maryland.

"And you can be quite certain that wherever your speeches are heard by those who value freedom the influence of what you have to say will not stop with the immediate audiences.

"For instance, [redacted] for Holiday Inns), after hearing your speech in Memphis, has since become quite actively absorbed in a major attempt at awakening his community to the threat of communism in America. I understand that the interest shown has proven quite gratifying.

"Also, several months after you delivered your Memphis speech, we held a regional workshop at our Holiday Inn in Williamsburg. Mother and I decided to take our guests to see 'The Story of a Patriot,' the movie presented by Colonial Williamsburg, depicting the events which led up to the break with English tyranny. One man commented that the movie showed an American strength of character--a courage and sense of responsibility--we seem now to have forgotten. Another man added that today's threat to freedom, because it is not as obviously tangible as that at the birth of our nation, requires of us an even greater courage and protective vigilance. He further said that

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(8) 1 - Mr. Parsons 1 - Mr. DeLoach 1 - Mr. M.A. Jones  
1 - Mr. Mohr 1 - Mr. Belmont 1 - Mr. Sullivan  
1 - Section Tickler

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Memorandum Sullivan to Belmont  
Re: LECTURES ON COMMUNISM

he had not been but more than slightly aware of this until he had heard your luncheon speech at the Memphis convention. The rest of the evening was spent pursuing this topic. This in itself did not seem so significant to me as did the fact that a group of men, fighting competitively for their places in the business world, could still show a greater interest in their country's freedom than in their own immediate and personal problems. And I thought, oh, ho, the spirit of our forefathers is perhaps with us yet!

"Mr. Sullivan, just as you are trying to spur an unaware nation to take a look at the harsh facts and do something about them (instead of just sitting around and waiting for some-one else to do the thinking and acting for them) so are many of country's philosophers attempting to uncover the causes of what they consider our alarming 'national disease'. If you haven't read them already, and if you have the time, I think you might find the following books well worth reading:

Eric Fromm. The Sane Society.  
David Riesman. The Lonely Crowd.  
Robert Lindner. Prescription for Rebellion."

RECOMMENDATION:

For the information of the Director. ✓

SE [Signature] [Signature] [Signature]

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## Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: February 3, 1961

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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On February 1, 1961, captioned individual telephoned locally for the Director and was referred to SA [REDACTED] Crime Research Section. He was staying at the Statler Hotel and would be in town for a few days, and would like to see the Director. He had previously corresponded with the Director concerning anticommunism matters. [REDACTED] was advised the Director was currently out of his office and would be notified upon his return of this request. The Director indicated, "No. H." on the note sent into his office concerning [REDACTED] request.

On February 2, 1961, [REDACTED] was informed that because of the pressure of other commitments the Director would not be able to see him. [REDACTED] then requested that the following message, which he would have given the Director, be forwarded to Mr. Hoover by [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] had heard Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan speak in Tucson, Arizona, and he was greatly concerned that Sullivan was not getting across to the public the magnitude of the problem of communism. He had left Sullivan's speech feeling Sullivan had let the people down. Sullivan had supplied large numbers of statistics regarding communist penetration and espionage activities but did not alert the audience to the infiltration by communists in government, teaching and religion.

[REDACTED] advised that while he considered Sullivan to be a scholar in the field of communism and a dedicated public servant, he felt Sullivan's speeches were "missing the boat."

[REDACTED] described himself as an avid anticommunist. He lectures on communism on radio and TV and writes articles concerning it in newspapers and magazines. [REDACTED] noted Sullivan is apparently taking a middle-of-the-road approach toward the danger of communism. He claimed Sullivan had said Director Hoover did not think the communists had anything to do with student riots in San Francisco and Director Hoover had said the film, "Operation Abolition" was distorted.

Sullivan had been asked, "Has communism gotten into the churches?" Sullivan had dodged the issue and merely stated he could assure his audience that the vast majority of people in this country had never been influenced by communism. More correct.

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]  
 1 - Mr. Belmont  
 1 - Mr. Sullivan  
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answer to this question would have been to the effect that, yes, thousands of ministers have been affected by communism and the National Council of Churches has been affected by it and J. Edgar Hoover and the House Committee on Un-American Activities had so stated. [ ] claimed by this neutralized, middle-of-the-road approach, Sullivan was actually supporting the left-wingers in the nation. [ ] claimed since Sullivan was not adequately presenting the danger of communism, he, as an official of the FBI, was doing more harm than good by his public addresses. [ ] stated that the Nation and the free world were in deplorable condition as result of the inroads of communism and the role of the FBI should not be neutral or middle of the road, but we should affirmatively attack the problem and bring it to the attention of the American people in forceful style.

[ ] further stated a meeting was held recently in Tucson following Sullivan's speech. He refused to identify the participants. He claimed the group intended to make a protest to the Government because Sullivan in his speech had failed to take an aggressive stand against communism. Sullivan had failed to give the sense of urgency and magnitude of the problem.

[ ] claimed that while he was in Washington this week he met with a group in the office of [ ] described by [ ] as [ ] which company makes anti-communist films. [ ] stated [ ] was aware of the "problem" in regard to Sullivan's speeches. He read a letter from New England. This letter was extremely critical of a speech Sullivan delivered in New England. [ ] further claimed that [ ] intended to take some action to protest Sullivan's speeches.

A group in Tucson, associated with the Tucson Sunday Evening Forum, a Methodist Church group, called everyone who attended the speech and apologized for the middle-of-the-road line taken by Sullivan and for his failure to meet the high standards of anticommunism they had expected.

[ ] stated he and other people in the nation vitally concerned with this problem have reluctantly arrived at the conclusion the FBI is under pressure from the National Council of Churches or educational groups, and Sullivan is apparently being prohibited from acknowledging the true dangers of communism. Sullivan's speeches evade the truth and give the impression there is nothing to worry about and refuse to acknowledge the strides the Communist Party has made in education and religion. In conclusion, [ ] reiterated that he considered Sullivan to be a very sincere man with a very wide knowledge of communism. He had no question in his mind but that Sullivan, personally, thoroughly grasped the dangers of the evil of communism. [ ] primary concern was that Sullivan was not being permitted to state his true feelings and was not able to sufficiently alert the American people because of restrictions placed on him.

[ ] was advised by [ ] that his message would be given to the Director. He was informed, however, that Mr. Hoover had the utmost confidence in Inspector Sullivan. He was told that [ ] was certain Sullivan would never have made the remarks concerning the San Francisco riots attributed by him to Sullivan. Sullivan was aware of the Director's statement regarding the San Francisco riots, "Communist Target--Youth" and he would certainly never make the statements about Mr. Hoover's views which [ ] thought he had made. He was also advised that no restrictions had been placed by the FBI on Sullivan.

INFORMATION IN BUFILES:

[ ] wrote the Director in July, 1960, complimenting the Director on "Masters of Deceit." In January, 1961, he wrote requesting the Director's assistance in placing his report on his blueprint for the free world to take the initiative against communist imperialism, in the hands of Government officials. The Director advised him he was unable to intercede. (94-53964)

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

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[ ] must be a jealous  
"professional" anti-Communist -  
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Director, FBI

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SAC, Miami

Speaking Engagement  
Chief Inspector W. C. Sullivan  
Dade County Bar Association  
Miami, Florida  
February 6, 1961

I was present when Inspector Sullivan delivered his speech before the Dade County Bar Association. It was an excellent speech, and it was attended by an estimated 650 people.

I have received a number of calls from attorneys who were present, remarking on the fine quality of the speech, and I wanted to inform the Bureau about this matter in view of the excellent impression made by Inspector Sullivan.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT

DATE: January 26, 1961

FROM : W. C. SULLIVAN

Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
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Mr. Evans \_\_\_\_\_

SUBJECT: HOOVER INSTITUTION ON WAR,  
REVOLUTION, AND PEACE  
STANFORD UNIVERSITY,  
STANFORD, CALIFORNIA  
INFORMATION CONCERNING -  
(CENTRAL RESEARCH MATTER)

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Reference is made to enclosed memorandum from SAC Auerbach to the Director, dated January 20, 1961.

[redacted] of the Hoover Institution, as I have previously stated in memoranda, is a close personal friend of mine. As the Bureau knows, he is carrying out a complete reorganization of the Hoover Institution at the request of the former President, Herbert Hoover. He is making great headway despite the concentrated opposition of the [redacted] and some of his associates.

Some time ago, [redacted] asked me if I would accept an invitation to be a Research Associate of the Hoover Institution on War, Revolution, and Peace. He pointed out that it would give me some academic status which would be helpful in lecturing for the Bureau before colleges and universities. He explained that it carried no salary and that the main function of a Research Associate is to serve as an adviser to the Hoover Institution.

I thanked him for the invitation and told him I would accept it, for it is evident that it would be helpful to my lecturing and would in no way conflict with Bureau policy.

For the information of the Bureau, this appointment has now been formalized as will be seen by the enclosed communication from Stanford University signed by [redacted]

As I mentioned in previous memoranda, I see in the Hoover Institution now being reorganized by [redacted] a fine opportunity to assist the Bureau in counteracting communist influence in colleges and universities. I will pursue this matter thoroughly and keep the Bureau advised of developments.

RECOMMENDATION:

For the information of the Director.

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1-Belmont; 1-Sullivan; 1-Section Tickler

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Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Mr. Tele. Room	✓
Mr. Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

*Handwritten: DC*

[Redacted]

February 3rd, 1961

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover, Director,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation,  
Department of Justice,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

As a citizen of this great nation of ours, I very much appreciate the efforts of Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan - and of the Federal Bureau of Investigation - in keeping awake the minds of the citizenry to the dangers of communism.

Mr. Sullivan is to be commended for his thorough study of communism and for his presentation of the facts to the public.

I have also noticed, Mr. Hoover, that you have always opposed using the communist type methods against them - as is proposed every so often -- and I agree with you, strongly. While our American methods may seem ineffective at times -- in the long run they have brought us through, and above, any who tried to destroy us.

With all Good Wishes,

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

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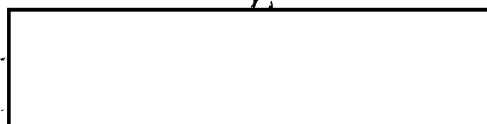
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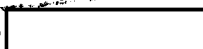
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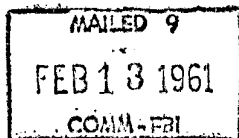
I received your cordial letter of February 8, 1961, enclosing the editorial which appeared in the February 3, 1961, issue of the "Saint Petersburg Times" relative to Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan.

It is always a source of encouragement to receive such generous comments about my associates, and you may be sure that Mr. Sullivan appreciates your kind remarks.

I can readily understand your deep concern over the grave threat posed by communism. Thank you for your expressions of confidence in the FBI. Enclosed are several items setting forth my views on communism which you might like to have.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover



Enclosures (6)

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1 - Mr. William C. Sullivan - Enclosures (2)

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**Enclosures**

**One Nation's Response to Communism  
Director's speech 10-18-60  
17th National Convention CP, USA & 3-60 LEB Intro.  
What You Can Do To Fight Communism  
Communist Target--Youth  
Expose of Soviet Espionage**

**NOTE: Bufiles contain no identifiable information regarding  
correspondent. See outgoing letter this date to [redacted]  
[redacted] of the "Saint Petersburg Times" who is being  
written in connection with the editorial about Chief Inspector Sullivan.  
[redacted] is on the Special Correspondents' List.**

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2025 NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE  
PHOENIX, ARIZONA

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI

FROM : SAC, Cincinnati (80-636)

SUBJECT: COMMUNISM SEMINARS  
CINCINNATI DIVISION

DATE: 2/27

Mr. Tolson	
Mr. Boardman	
Mr. Nichols	
Mr. Belmont	
Mr. Ladd	
Mr. Clegg	
Mr. Glavin	
Mr. Harbo	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Tracy	
Mr. Egan	
Mr. Gurnea	
Mr. Hendon	
Mr. Jones	
Mr. Mumford	
Mr. Quinn	
Mr. Nease	
Miss Gandy	

## BACKGROUND

The Bureau approved a series of all-day seminars on Communism, featuring Chief Inspector WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN as principal speaker on such topics as "Dialectic Materialism," "How the Communists Operate," and "Communist Intelligence Activities."

Additional lectures were approved for ASAC EDWIN R. TULLY on "Fact Finding -- Why and How," and for Special Agent EUGENE W. YOUNGS at the Cincinnati seminars (Senior Resident Agent [redacted] at the Dayton seminar) on the topic, "Security of Government Employees and Other Clearance Programs." SAC was the master of ceremonies at each seminar and spoke on "Philosophy of Government under Law," as well as "Why Be Concerned with Communism." In each instance there was a question and answer period, wherein newspaper officials served as Moderators.

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Where the seminars were held:

- (1) 2/20, Our Lady of Cincinnati College, with a full auditorium and proceedings relayed by closed circuit television to corridors and lobbies to handle an overflow crowd of several hundred.
- (2) 2/21, University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio, Wohlleben Auditorium, completely filled with an overflow crowd, with even newspaper officials seated on stone steps after all chairs were used; several hundred movable chairs

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pushed in for maximum seating and close to 300 people standing up from 9 A.M. until after 3 P.M., when the seminar ended. The interest was so great that approximately one-third of the people refused to leave their seats at lunchtime and skipped lunch in order to be assured of seating for the afternoon session.

- (3) Several hundred Sisters of Charity and Sisters of Notre Dame brought in from hundreds of miles by their Superiors for a two-hour lecture by Chief Inspector SULLIVAN morning of 2/22.
- (4) Meeting of 1,000 clergymen, all faiths, afternoon of 2/22.
- (5) Cincinnati Rotary Club--500 Rotarians and wives, noon, 2/23.
- (6) Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, 3 P.M., 2/23--an overflow crowd with many standees.
- (7) 7:30 P.M., 2/23, audience of approximately 500 doctors, attorneys and various reservists of all branches of the armed forces--Cincinnati.
- (8) 2/24, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, two hours on "Communism and Intelligence," with every auditorium seat taken and many standees.
- (9) 2/25 (Saturday), Cold War Strategy Seminar, Columbus, Ohio.
- (10) 2/27, University of Cincinnati, a six-hour seminar similar to the first ones mentioned.

#### RESULTS

Overwhelming acceptance. Some persons who had planned to stay only for the first hour or so remained all day. Highly favorable press coverage. Glowing comments of commendatory

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nature from heads of educational institutions, clergy and attendees. Very warm comments concerning the abilities of Chief Inspector WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN and the characteristic cooperation of Director HOOVER in arranging the seminars.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Chief Inspector WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN--strong commendation for his scintillating performance and the extremely high prestige he has brought to FBI among highest levels of educational and clergy leaders.
2. Letters of commendation for the speaking participants, including ASAC EDWIN R. TULLY, SA EUGENE W. YOUNGS (two seminars), and [redacted] (Dayton seminar). Each of these men did an outstandingly fine job and carefully prepared himself to uphold the highest traditions of the Bureau and make strong impact on the audience.
3. Letter of appreciation to [redacted]  
[redacted]  
[redacted]  
[redacted] The presence of [redacted] made it possible for him to answer questions which the FBI could not in good taste handle.
4. Letters of appreciation to the Moderators of the various Panels, as follows:

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617 Vine Street, Cincinnati 2, Ohio;

[redacted] The Cincinnati Post and Times-Star,  
800 Broadway, Cincinnati 2, Ohio;

[redacted] The E. W.  
Scripps Company, The Cincinnati Post and Times-Star, 800  
Broadway, Cincinnati 2, Ohio;

[redacted] Taft  
Broadcasting Company (WKRC), 1906 Highland Avenue, Cincinnati 19,  
Ohio;

[redacted] The  
Dayton Journal-Herald, 111 East Fourth Street, Dayton, Ohio;

[redacted] The Dayton Daily News,  
Fourth and Ludlow Streets, Dayton, Ohio.

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ADDENDUM: JRH:mbb 3-6-61

The Crime Records Division concurs in the recommendations of SAC, Cincinnati that Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan, ASAC Edwin R. Tully and Special Agents Eugene W. Youngs and [redacted] be commended for their excellent work in this outstanding FBI public relations project. In addition, it is recommended that SAC ~~Mason~~ also be commended for his role in promoting, organizing and carrying out the over-all arrangements.



[Redacted]  
March 8, 1961

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

On Monday, February 27, 1961, I attended the Seminar on Communism which was held at the University of Cincinnati.

This was the finest discussion of its kind that I have ever heard, and I felt very privileged to hear Mr. William C. Sullivan, Chief Inspector of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, speak on "Dialectic Materialism" and "How the Communists Operate". [Redacted] (former employee of the Bureau [Redacted] of the Denver Office) I was fully aware of the authority with which Mr. Sullivan spoke.

While I realized that this seminar was geared to the college level, I took with me my two high-school aged daughters. I am sure they will benefit a great deal through the years from what they learned there.

I have always hoped that somehow the public could be made more aware of how the Bureau works to protect the rights of individuals, and not just to "track down criminals". This fact was brought out very well during the discussions. I also feel this positive approach to counteracting Communist propaganda is badly needed in our country today. The seminars held in this area during the past few weeks were a giant step in this direction.

SAC E. D. Mason's forceful but very pleasant manner of conducting this meeting contributed much to its success. His speech on the "Philosophy of Government under Law" was one that I wish could be heard by every student and adult in this area.

Thank you, Mr. Hoover, for making these seminars possible.

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Very truly yours,  
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CC: Mr. Mason

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Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. Parsons	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Belmont	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Evans	✓
Mr. Malone	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	✓
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Miss Gandy	✓

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to  
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Baltimore, Maryland  
March 6, 1961

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Mr. Parsons  
Mr. Mohr  
Mr. Belmont  
Mr. Callahan  
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Mr. W.C. Sullivan  
Tele. Room  
Mr. Ingram  
Miss Gandy

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I thought you would be interested in knowing what Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan did an outstanding job in speaking last Friday before a student group at Johns Hopkins University on the subject of Communism in the United States. His talk was given in a scholarly, mature and dignified manner. It was very apparent from the comments after the talk that his observations were enlightening to many in attendance who had preconceived or prejudiced notions as to the activities of the Bureau in the Internal Security field.

I thought the results obtained by Mr. Sullivan were extremely favorable, particularly when considering the type of audience he faced. Based on the questions asked, most of those present possessed left-wing or socialistic sympathies. Mr. Sullivan fielded their questions beautifully and his patience, fairness and profound insight of the subject matter without question changed some viewpoints, at least insofar as their attitudes toward the FBI are concerned.

One thing, however, disturbed me very much. For almost an hour questions were asked from the floor and all of these questions were either directly or inferentially critical of our free enterprise system, governmental agencies, or our philosophy of government. Even though Mr. Sullivan on several occasions asked for "other viewpoints", at no time did any student make any favorable comment in support or defense of our economic system, our governmental agencies or the tremendous good this country has done in aiding the oppressed throughout the world. In other words, the cause of America and its greatness seemed to be forgotten by these students, who seemed

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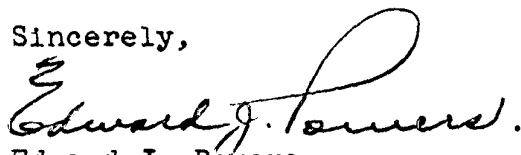
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to be content to pick away at alleged weaknesses or shortcomings in our system. As I left the room, I was depressed that not a single student had the courage or patriotism to set the record straight and to make sure that all those present understood that while we cherish the right to criticize constructively, that there is a corresponding obligation to keep things in their proper perspective.

Sincerely,

  
Edward J. Powers  
Special Agent in Charge

March 10, 1961

PERSONAL

Mr. Edmund D. Mason  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Cincinnati, Ohio

Dear Mason:

I have received your letter of March 3, 1961, and I want to thank you for informing me of the excellent work done by Chief Inspector Sullivan and Inspector Kissiah recently.

Mr. Sullivan is indeed a very capable speaker on communism, and you may be sure that we appreciate your generous comments. From the publicity received it is obvious that your arrangements for Mr. Sullivan's appearances were well planned.

Sincerely,

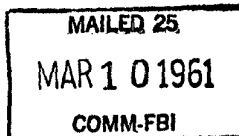
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1 - Inspector Kissiah

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PERSONAL

Dear Boss:

Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan did a magnificent job in the Southern Ohio area in connection with seminars on Communism. His nimble footwork in handling questions showed a tremendous store of knowledge and further convinced me that the Bureau policy of forbidding Special Agents in Charge to speak on Communism is sound and should be unaltered. No SAC could handle questions the way Sullivan did.

His presence in this area at various universities, civic and other groups, has been a marvelous piece of FBI public relations. He is a wonderful speaker.

Joseph P. He was here for eight days at the same time Inspector Kissiah was here with Aides on a regular inspection of the office. Kissiah also impressed me very favorably. While I believe that I know my office well, there were still a few things Kissiah dug up, with which I was not intimately acquainted. He is thorough, tenacious, and straight down the line, but he performs his work with minimum demands on the office and therefore very little interruption to regular operations. He will make a fine SAC.

Sincerely,

*E. D. Mason*  
E. D. Mason

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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Academy of Medicine  
2025 North Central Avenue  
Phoenix, Arizona

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Dear [Redacted]

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Your cordial letter regarding the address  
Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan was pleased to give  
at your Annual Dinner last month was received on  
January 31, 1961. Please accept my thanks for your  
generous expressions of confidence in the FBI.

It is always a source of encouragement to  
receive such favorable remarks about my associates, and  
you may be sure that Mr. Sullivan enjoyed the opportunity  
to be with you on this occasion. I was glad to note that his  
remarks were so well received, and he is most appreciative  
of your kind comments.

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

1 - Inspector Sullivan - Enclosure

NOTE: Bufiles contain no identifiable information regarding [Redacted]  
Sullivan fulfilled the above commitment on 1-17-61 in response to an  
airtel from SAC, Phoenix on 12-8-60.

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UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI  
CINCINNATI, OHIO  
THE PRESIDENT

March 3, 1961

Mr. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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Mr. Trotter	✓
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	✓
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Mr. Ingram	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Allow me to congratulate you on the series of F.B.I. Seminars being held on "National Security and the Communist Conspiracy." The one which was held on our campus on February 27, with an audience of close to 2000, was truly a model of how such functions should be organized.

While many were involved in the project, I wish to commend particularly Mr. E. D. Mason of the local office, and Mr. William C. Sullivan of the Washington office. These men did an outstanding job in an urgent cause.

Again with thanks, and with warm wishes, I am

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University of Cincinnati  
Cincinnati, Ohio

Dear [Redacted]

Your letter of March 3, 1961, in which you comment so favorably regarding the appearance of Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan and Mr. Edmund D. Mason, Special Agent in Charge of our Cincinnati Office, before the seminar on February 27, has been received.

It was indeed thoughtful of you to write as you did and Mr. Sullivan and I are grateful to you for your generous remarks. Mr. Mason will indeed be pleased to receive your comments. It is always gratifying to me to know that our representatives have made a favorable impression and I thank you for writing as you did.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan - Enclosure

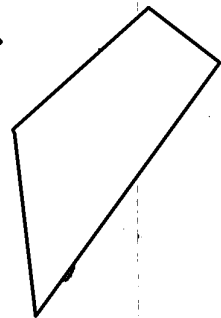
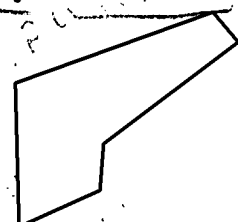
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NOTE: [Redacted] is on the Special Correspondents' List.  
Chief Inspector Sullivan appeared at the University of Cincinnati on February 27.

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Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

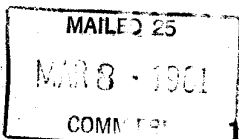
Dear Bill:

It is indeed a pleasure to commend  
you for your excellent participation in a series  
of seminars recently held in the Cincinnati  
Division.

You did an exceptionally fine job  
as principal speaker and your performance has  
certainly enhanced the prestige of the FBI. I  
was very much impressed with the superb man-  
ner in which these seminars were handled and  
I want you to know I appreciate your devoted  
efforts.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover



1 - Mr. Belmont (Personal Attention)

1 - Mr. M. A. Jones

1 - Miss [ ] (Sent Direct)

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Cincinnati, Ohio  
March 3, 1961

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

UNITED STATES CITIZENS  
COMMITTEE CINCINNATI, OHIO

Dear Sir,

I am wondering if you would have time to investigate what your agent, Mr. Sullivan is going around the country saying?

He spoke at a meeting here in Cincinnati at the Walnut Hills H.S. and when the meeting was over I had the impression that there were no communists anywhere. He used rather ambiguous language but I understood him to say there were no communists in the government, no communists in the State Department & no communists among the clergy of U.S.

If there are no Communists in the State Department, then why was Senator Joe McCarthy crucified when he began exposing them?

I think you should look into this.

If Mr. Sullivan thinks there are no no communists among the clergy, he can get the names & addresses of hundreds of them simply by writing to Circuit Riders, Inc., P.O. Box 1023, Cincinnati 1, Ohio.

On reading the accounts of his talks in the local papers; it seems that other people also got the same impression.

This is a time to wake people up, not put them to sleep, regarding the communist threat.

Yours<sup>100</sup> most sincerely, 94-55000-3

/s/

[Redacted Signature Box]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: March 14, 1961

FROM : W. C. Sullivan

SUBJECT: 

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INFORMATION CONCERNING  
 CENTRAL RESEARCH MATTER

By letter to the Director dated March 3, 1961, the captioned individual criticized me for underestimating the threat of communism during one of my recent speeches in Ohio, and she suggests that the Bureau "investigate" my remarks. From her letter it is obvious that she is convinced that there is still widespread communist infiltration in the United States Government and among the American clergy--views which are characteristic of the extremist fringe of the anticommunist forces. Bureau files contain no information regarding

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UNITED STATES CITIZENS  
 COMMITTEE CINCINNATI, OHIO

That the enclosed reply to  be approved.

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- 1 - Mr. Parsons
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. M. A. Jones
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
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**Memorandum**

TO : Mr. Mohr

FROM : C. D. DeLoach

DATE: March 16, 1961

SUBJECT: CONGRESSMAN GORDON H. SCHERER (R-OHIO)  
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES (HCUA)

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Pursuant to instructions, I talked with Congressman Gordon Scherer 3-15-61 relative to Mr. Sullivan's appearances in the Cincinnati area. I told Scherer that he had been a staunch supporter of the FBI for many years and accordingly I wanted to go into detail regarding any complaints he might have concerning Sullivan's speeches.

In the outset, Scherer told me that he fully understood that some of our "friends" of the extreme right wing do much more harm than good. He stated he recognized that his constituents who had written or called him were most likely dead wrong; however, he felt that it was unfortunate that a bad impression had been left with them. He stated he wanted me also to understand, particularly with reference to a letter received from one [redacted] that in some instances he must lean over backwards in order to maintain the confidence of constituents. He said this was a "political necessity"; however, he wanted us to know that in all replies he had indicated to his constituents that there was no "softening" of FBI policy and that he understood Mr. Sullivan was a very capable, scholarly FBI official.

I told Scherer that with reference to the film, "Operation Abolition," he should recognize that the FBI cannot endorse or condemn this film publicly from any standpoint inasmuch as we did not make this production. He stated he recognized this fact. I told him that the Director's pamphlet, "Communist Target--Youth," was certainly ample evidence of the FBI's tremendous desire, not only to educate the American public as to the dangers of communism but additionally to be of assistance to the House Committee on Un-American Activities. The point was made that this pamphlet speaks for itself; however, as a matter of fact, Mr. Sullivan, on a number of occasions, had specifically quoted from the pamphlet. I told him that obviously Sullivan could not have left any clear-thinking individual with the impression that the San Francisco riots were not communist inspired inasmuch as not only did he specifically quote from the Director's pamphlet but additionally saw to it that the pamphlets were distributed to the audience attending his speeches. Scherer stated he recognized this fact and wanted us to know that on the floor of the House that morning, 3-15-61, the HCUA had been given authorization to order the printing of 100,000 additional copies of the Director's pamphlet.

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- 1 - Mr. Parsons
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DeLoach to Mohr memo

Re: Congressman Gordon H. Scherer (R-Ohio)

House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA)

I brought up the matter that apparently a number of Scherer's constituents have felt that the FBI did not fully endorse the activities of the House Committee on Un-American Activities. He replied in the affirmative but quickly stated that he disregarded such complaints inasmuch as they were made by "firebrands" who represented the extreme right wing.

Scherer stated that he, of course, fully understood Mr. Sullivan's approach and felt that it was a scholarly one. He mentioned that some of his "fanatical constituents" aren't very well educated and undoubtedly misunderstood Sullivan's comments. I mentioned at this point that Scherer had told SAC Mason that his son, whom I know personally and to whom I recently gave a tour of FBI facilities, had apparently indicated a misunderstanding in connection with one speech Sullivan gave. Scherer stated his son was concerned over the fact that Sullivan did not fully indicate that the San Francisco youth riots were communist inspired. I told Scherer that Sullivan and SAC Mason both pleasantly recall meeting his son, following Sullivan's address at the University of Cincinnati, and that their impression was that his son was completely pleasant and had no complaints whatsoever. The point was once again made that Sullivan read to the audience, verbatim, in his speech at the University of Cincinnati, selected portions of the Director's statement from "Communist Target--Youth" and that it was hard to understand how anyone could have been confused.

I mentioned to Congressman Scherer that he should specifically know that at Sullivan's speech at the University of Cincinnati, he had in his hand a statement from the Director concerning the effective work of the House Committee on Un-American Activities and that he had read this to the audience without elaboration in response to a question concerning the effectiveness or discontinuance of the HCUA.

Scherer stated he was fully satisfied in his own mind regarding this matter. He mentioned that his only reason in bringing it up was the complaints received from constituents. He stated that one constituent had gone so far as to mention that "there is considerable jockeying at FBI Headquarters among officials who hope to succeed J. Edgar Hoover. Undoubtedly some of these officials desire to favor the left point of view so as to attract support." I told Scherer that nothing could be further from the truth that in the first place the Director had no intentions whatsoever of retiring and secondly I had never known any FBI employee who would be disloyal to the extent to ignore FBI policy for the purposes of promotion. I told

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DeLoach to Mohr memo

Re: Congressman Gordon H. Scherer (R-Ohio)

House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA)

him this was absolutely asinine. He stated he agreed.

The entire discussion was in a pleasant manner. Congressman Scherer, although a supporter and very cooperative, at the same time is a politician who recognizes that in order to maintain his current popular stand against communism, he must be on our side.

In connection with this matter, Mr. Tolson inquired as to why SAC Mason's airtel of 3-8-61 was not sent in promptly to the Director. This was my fault. I did not do this for two reasons, both of which I now realize should not have stood in the way of my sending this airtel into the Director immediately. I knew, however, (1) that the Director had seen and routed out my memorandum of 3-8-61 reflecting Congressman Scherer's call and the various complaints which have been simply reiterated by SAC Mason in his airtel. A number of additional memoranda and letters concerning this matter have been sent through. It was, therefore, my opinion that the Director was fully aware of the matter and that it would not be necessary to bother him with correspondence reflecting the same material. (2) I had telephonically contacted Congressman Scherer's office upon receipt of the airtel inasmuch as I already had clearance from the Director by memorandum of 3-8-61 to contact Scherer and straighten him out regarding this matter. I specifically held on to the airtel to refresh my memory before going into his office. This is not as an excuse inasmuch as I could have very quickly and easily made a copy and routed the original on to the Director. I did believe, however, that the Director was fully aware of all information contained in the airtel. I am very apologetic regarding my judgment in this matter and will certainly do everything to prevent a like incident occurring in the future.

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- 1 - Mr. M.A. Jones March 15, 1961
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Section tickler
- 1 - J. F. Condon

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Dear [redacted]

I have received your letter dated March 3, 1961, and have noted its contents. I must advise you, however, that I am thoroughly familiar with the remarks made by Mr. Sullivan at Cincinnati, Ohio, and that he treated the subject of communism with all possible objectivity, candor, and accuracy.

It is, of course, understandable that different individuals will react differently to any presentation, depending on their diverse experiences, interests, and knowledge. However, communism must always be opposed by careful, constructive, and positive action, and this action must always be kept within the due process of law.

Mr. Sullivan took a strong stand against all aspects of communism and pointed out that, unless we are successful in meeting this threat, our Nation will change completely. He stressed the positive approach of strengthening our individual freedom as the best means of opposing both the internal and external threats of communism.

Since we both share the same concern for the threat of communism, I trust that you will understand my position in this matter.

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NOTE:

See memo Sullivan to Belmont, dated 3-14-61, captioned

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 3-15-61

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: BUREAU COMMUNISM SEMINARS  
STATE OF OHIO  
ALLEGED LACK OF SUPPORT OF  
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES (HCUA)

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SAC Mason, Cincinnati, has furnished substance of criticism made by and to Congressman Gordon H. Scherer of the HCUA to the effect that during recent seminars on communism in that state, Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan left an impression on some members of the audience that the FBI is somewhat cool or unenthusiastic about the HCUA. Criticism apparently arose since Mr. Sullivan did not go beyond prior statements by the Director on the communist threat and declined to engage in rabid denunciation of all opponents to the HCUA.

SAC Mason has been in contact with Congressman Scherer and suggests that to resolve this misunderstanding that consideration be given to having Congressman Scherer personally contacted. Since he is personally friendly with Scherer, he offers to come to Washington to see Scherer or to write him an appropriate letter. He also suggests consideration of having prominent contacts write Scherer to eradicate the erroneous impressions he may still have.

RECOMMENDATION:

This matter can be appropriately handled by existing liaison contacts maintained by your office, and it is not felt necessary for SAC Mason to come to Washington or to cause suggested letters to be written. Appropriate airtel to SAC Mason attached.

Enclosure *3-15-61*

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach - Enclosure
- 1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan - Enclosure

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TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont *ASH/D*

DATE: March 23, 1961

FROM : W. C. Sullivan *W.C. Sullivan*SUBJECT: INFORMATION CONCERNING  
CENTRAL RESEARCH MATTER

Reference is made to an enclosed copy of a letter from  of Johns Hopkins University to the Director dated March 4, 1961, and one to me dated March 3, 1961. Both letters charge that I failed to defend the House Committee on Un-American Activities and to endorse the controversial film "Operation Abolition," while speaking at the Johns Hopkins University. *W.C. Sullivan*

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While in Baltimore, I was informed that  was present; that he thinks the "sun rises and sets" on the House Committee and he probably expected me to give a rousing defense of all its activities. I was also informed that  is an emotionally disturbed man, deeply embittered because he thinks his part in testifying against Owen Lattimore years ago was not fully appreciated. His letters certainly are not the kind one would expect from a professor or even from an average high school student. They are grammatically incorrect, sloppily written, and incoherent in places.

What  says is false and I can prove it. The appearance at Johns Hopkins was a very successful one, and the question period was the most successful part of it. When I finished my lecture, a student immediately arose and said he wanted publicly to commend the FBI on the presentation and the factual position taken. The applause, as SAC Powers knows, was unusually long. After it was over, different students came up and said many of their doubts about the FBI had been cleared up; that they would like to visit the FBI when in Washington, et cetera. SAC Edward Powers was there throughout and a witness to the success of the lecture and question period.

RECOMMENDATION:

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ENCLOSURE That neither of  letters be acknowledged.

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Enclosures

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1 - Mr. Parsons

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March 4, 1961

J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
The F.B. I., Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

JOHNS HOPKINS UNIV.

Last week the students at JHU were shown Operation Abolition. The students laughed and jeered, and were pamphleteered by the ACLU, and an ad hoc student committee, and heard an address attacking the film, the HCUA, witch hunting etc. This week we had Inspector Sullivan to speak. He did an adequate job in presentation. Then came the question and answer period, and a sophomore could have done better.

The students asked leading questions about the HCUA, Operation Abolition, and the Communist menace. Mr. Sullivan evaded answering questions about the first two subjects, in such a way that the students then took his evasion as admission of their charges.

To the question: "Isn't it really Russian Imperialism rather than Communism". He replied: "I am unable to separate the two". To me this is an unbelievable state of affairs.

First: I do not accept that the FBI can not say anything in defense of the film Operation Abolition. Mr. Sullivan could have use direct quotes from you; or your reports. The affair was Communist planned and run; identified Communists were the trouble makers at the hearings; etc. Mr. Sullivan made the flat statement that the matter was "organized by the students" !!!

Second: I do not accept that the FBI can not speak in defense of Congressional Committees. You know better than most that the majority of the unfriendly witnesses are criminals, Communists, etc. Why can you and your representatives not say so? To fail to say so gives aid and comfort to the enemy, and makes the Bureau look like a fool in the eyes of those who know that you know enough to make a careful statement that will cut the ground out from under those who would imply that the Congressional Committees are just witch hunting.

Mr. Sullivan is also quoted in extenso in The Catholic Review this week. "FBI Chief Defends Loyalty of Churches". In this article the trend is to state that there are no Communists in the Churches; only a few who in their desire to have wrongs righted "have on occasion allied themselves with organizations or individuals seemingly sharing their wish to better out country". Again, the FBI knows better than that, and to all of us who have followed your (and other) reports on the extent of Communist penetration of the Churches, this serves only our common enemy, and to make the FBI look foolish. Haven't your undercover agents named Communists who are posing as clergy? Doesn't the documentation of [redacted] the Circuit Riders, and others show that the penetration of some of the churches is extensive? What purpose is served by playing this down?

It surely hurts the majority of the good Christian Americans who want above all to be rid of the Fellow Travellers, and worse, in their midst. Now they will have the FBI quoted against them in their efforts.

I can't believe that you, or Mr. Sullivan intended such impressions to be made. This letter is written in this abrupt fashion because of the press of time, and not out of unfriendliness. Quite the contrary. Along with millions of other Americans, I have the highest regard for the FBI, and you, and the many agents that I have known. I feel that you would want to know when your program is not functioning properly.

March 3

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

Please excuse any abruptness in this letter. It is meant to be constructive, but it must begin with a bit of criticism.

In your presentation at JHU today your semi-prepared remarks were fine. However, it seems to me that you most unnecessarily allowed the students to make hash out of you and the anti Communist effort in the question and answer period.

For Example:

Although you can not criticize the HCUA, and perhaps feel that you cant discuss it at all, this leaves the impression that it is indefensible. This is neither true, nor do I feel it to be true that there is nothing that you can say. For example: you could have said the J Edgar Hoover has spoken on these riots, and that the FBI has put out a study on them. In this study the FBI demonstrated that the riots were organized by the Communists. You actually said that the students organized them! Since the FBI has spoken officially on this point, why can you not say so?

Similarly on such questions as "smearing innocent people", etc. Why can you not say that the FBI has the duty to be informed on the nature of the Communist Conspiracy, and the names of the leading Communist conspirators, and that from your personal knowledge of the nature of the unfriendly witnesses called before the HCUA that many, though not all, are Communists or have Communist records. This is FBI business. You can speak on that.

I would certainly question your conclusion that we have sufficient laws on the books. If so, why can we not adequately penalize men who openly flaunt their contempt of the Senate and the House in these Hearings??

You might well argue that the laws are there, but that they are not used. You could then develop the reasons that they are not----- climate of opinion, need for greater knowledge and so forth concerning the CP. In short, the question about adequacy of laws, if you feel that they are adequate, should at the least be used as a platform to talk on why they are not being implemented.

On the stage of the current program of Communism in America. You gave three stages, said that the current one was the initial one. The second one was stated to be " Serious Infiltration". When the Communists have been revealed to have had men placed in the under secretaries of State, Treasury, and in General Donovans office in OSS, how can you say that we have not yet reached the point of "serious infiltration". Is there any virtue in underplaying the gravity of the situation?

With sincerest personal best wishes



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P.S.

After writing this I returned home and read the Catholic Review. This reports at length on a talk that you gave in Cincinnati.

In it, according to their report, you played down the Communist infiltration of the Churches. In fact in their report I can not find that you admitted that there is even one Communist posing as a clergy man. Only a few, you allege, have allied themselves for good seeming reasons with dubious organizations.

This makes the reporting of [redacted] The Circuit Riders, [redacted] (?), FBI under cover agents, etc. look just plain foolish----- or else you have misrepresented the situation. It is my opinion that the fault is yours. It seemed to me listening to you at JMO, and now in reading your article, that you are leaning over backwards to minimize the Communist penetration. This is difficult for me to understand. Why not stick to facts? Why not present the picture as it is? Why not say that some professors, some ministers, even a few priests are Communists? Why not give some figures on how many in some areas-- avoiding specificity just enough not to get into difficulties? Certainly the majority of the clergy are sincere Christians and good Americans, and they want the Communists and Fellow Travellers out. Your approach does not help them; it hurts them.

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I speak feelingly. I am a professor. I have been at times surrounded by Communists--- have in fact been associated professionally with Communists throughout my entire University life, from my Freshman year on. My colleagues don't like to face such things. They like to deny that the Communist menace exists. They convince the students. In your appearance here you certainly aided them.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: April 6, 1961

FROM : Mr. Mohr

SUBJECT: WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN  
Chief Inspector  
ROBERT E. WICK  
Inspector

Inspector

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parsons \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
 Belmont \_\_\_\_\_  
 Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
 DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
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## OUTSTANDING ANNUAL PERFORMANCE RATINGS

There are attached for approval annual ratings for Messrs. Sullivan, Wick and [ ] covering the period from April 1, 1960, through March 31, 1961, rating their services as Outstanding. Mr. Belmont has signed rating of Mr. Sullivan as Rating Official and Mr. Parsons has signed this rating as Reviewing Official. Mr. DeLoach\* has signed rating of Mr. Wick as Rating Official and I have signed this rating as Reviewing Official. Mr. Parsons has signed rating of [ ] as Rating Official.

In the event you approve these ratings, I respectfully request that the Director sign both the original and copy of each of them as the Approving Official and that you sign both the original and copy of rating of [ ] as the Reviewing Official. Thereafter they must be submitted to Deputy Attorney General Byron R. White in the Department for approval by the Efficiency Awards Committee. Upon approval of these ratings by the Efficiency Awards Committee, they will be returned to the Bureau and Messrs. Sullivan, Wick and [ ] will be furnished copies of their ratings. They will also be entitled to cash incentive awards, under the provisions of the Incentive Awards Plan. You recall that the Director has authorization under delegation from the Attorney General to approve such awards up to \$500, which is the customary amount that has been approved for Assistant Directors and above. For officials below the level of Assistant Director, who are in grade GS-16 or above, it has been customary to approve awards of \$400. For those below grade GS-16, awards of \$300 have been approved. Messrs. Sullivan, Wick and [ ] are all in Grade GS-16 or above.

*I think Sullivan should get \$500*

Should you agree with the foregoing, these ratings will be forwarded to the Department together with other ratings on Bureau officials which have already been approved. When these ratings have been approved by the Department, necessary checks will be drawn and letters prepared for the Director's signature.

Enclosures

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\*Mr. DeLoach left town without signing rating and will sign upon return.

1 - Personnel File of Mr. Robert E. Wick

1 - Personnel File of Mr. [ ]

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Memo to Mr. Tolson  
Re: Chief Inspector Wm. C. Sullivan  
Inspector Robert E. Wick  
Inspector [redacted]

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RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that you, as the Reviewing Official, sign both the original and copy of attached Outstanding rating for [redacted] and that the Director, as the Approving Official, sign both the original and copy of the attached Outstanding ratings for Messrs. Sullivan, Wick and [redacted] and that upon approval of these ratings each be approved for an incentive award in the amount of \$400.00.

Sullivan  
to get \$500  
✓

*[Handwritten signatures and initials]*  
✓

April 20, 1961

William C. Sullivan  
Special Agent in Charge  
Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am indeed pleased to advise you that your  
performance during the period April 1, 1960, to March 31, 1961, has  
been outstanding and that you have been recommended for  
a Meritorious Award by the Committee of the Department  
for your service during the past year.

In recognition of this period of accomplishment, a  
Meritorious Award for you in the amount of \$100.00  
which is enclosed represents this award. I  
certainly do not want the opportunity to pass up  
this appreciation for the unusually competent, efficient  
manner in which you have handled your numerous  
responsibilities during the past year.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover  
Mr. Belmont (Personal Attention) Enclosure

You should personally present this award and should  
not be possible or should presentation be unreasonable  
by your absence official acting for you should present

1 - Mr. M. A. Jones  
1 - Miss [redacted] (Sent Direct)  
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Award #614-81  
Salutation per file.

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Mr. Byron R. White  
Deputy Attorney General

April 11, 1961

Director, FBI

ALAN H. BELMONT  
CARTHA D. DE LOACH  
COURTNEY A. EVANS  
Assistant Directors  
WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN  
Chief Inspector

ROBERT E. WICK

Inspectors

OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE RATINGS  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

JOSEPH J. CASPER

DONALD S. HOSTETTER  
EDMUND D. MASON  
FRANK L. PRICE  
Special Agents in Charge  
ALBERT P. GUNSSER  
Special Agent Accountant

There are enclosed the annual performance ratings on Messrs. Belmont, DeLoach, Evans, Sullivan, Wick, Casper, Hostetter, Mason, Price and Gunsser of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, covering the period from April 1, 1960, through March 31, 1961, wherein they have been given the adjective rating of Outstanding.

In accordance with existing requirements, these ratings are transmitted for final approval by the Efficiency Awards Committee of the Department. I would appreciate it if you would promptly advise me when these ratings have been approved, in order that they can be considered official. To facilitate such processing, my signature on the ratings as approving officer will also serve as approval in my capacity as a member of the Efficiency Awards Committee.

Enclosures (13)

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Copies attached for files of: CARTHA D. DE LOACH, COURTNEY A. EVANS, WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN, ROBERT E. WICK, JOSEPH J. CASPER, DONALD S. HOSTETTER, EDMUND D. MASON, FRANK L. PRICE, ALBERT P. GUNSSER

DUPLICATE YELLOW



RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

5-10-61

I certify that I have received the following Government property for official use:

~~returned~~

Bureau Badge #136 ✓✓

RETURNED

Bureau Badge #1589 ✓✓

BY MAIL 3-10-61

READ

The Government property which you hereby acknowledge is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care of it and returning it when its use has been completed. DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN ANY WAY.

Very truly yours,

(Written  
Signature)

(Typed  
Signature)

William C. Sullivan

## Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: April 18, 1961

FROM : *Am* S. A. Andretta  
Administrative Assistant Attorney General

SUBJECT: "Outstanding" Performance Ratings

This refers to your recommendations for "Outstanding" performance ratings for the following employees for the period April 1, 1960 through March 31, 1961:

6 Alan H. Belmont 02979-604  
Joseph J. Casper 11417-615  
[redacted] 09158-606  
Scarthá D. De Loach 14153-601  
Courtney A. Evans 11957-601  
[redacted] 00091-604  
Albert P. Gunsser 01209-601

09375- Donald S. Hostetter 611  
[redacted]  
Edmund D. Mason 07440-613  
Frank L. Price 14261-613  
William C. Sullivan 13573-14  
Robert E. Wick 06699-615

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Parsons	_____
Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Evans	_____
Mr. Malone	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Mr. Ingram	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

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The ratings have been approved and in accordance with the Department's performance rating plan a copy of the justification should be furnished to each of the above employees.

*Incentive awards for  
Outstanding Annual ratings with execution  
4-20-61 cmf*

*no action taken  
Per Mr. Callahan's instructions  
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : Mr. A. E. Belmont

DATE: April 12, 1961

FROM : W. C. Sullivan

SUBJECT: SEVENTH ANNUAL NATIONAL MILITARY,  
INDUSTRIAL AND EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE  
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, APRIL, 1961

Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Miss Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

There is an excellent newspaper article which appeared in the Chicago Daily News issue of April 5, 1961, concerning Chief Inspector Sullivan's appearance at the captioned conference in Chicago. The author of the article, Norman Ross, is noted as a top television commentator in Chicago and is a highly regarded feature columnist in the area.

Although Sullivan recently appeared on Ross' television program, he had no idea Ross was preparing the article. The material was taken from Sullivan's speech at the seminar, and Ross apparently was motivated by his friendship for the Bureau, since Sullivan said Ross has shown a tremendous liking and respect for both the FBI and the Director in his conversations with Sullivan.

The point Sullivan wanted to make in sending the article in was that Ross has since indicated to him that he felt the seven reasons Sullivan outlined in his speech for the high morale of communists in this country, and which Ross made the subject of his article, had never occurred to him before. Ross said that no reasonable and logical thinking person could dispute the validity of those reasons.

Coming as it does at a time when extremists of both the left and the right are embroiled in controversies, when wild charges are being made about the nature of our communist activities, when groups such as the John Birch Society and the like have attracted much attention, Ross' article can and should do the Bureau much good by setting forth sound and logical reasons advanced by the FBI concerning the true nature of the threat which communist activities represent in our country. Contrasted with the wild, irrational statements of fanatics, the seven reasons representing the Bureau's position on communism present the Bureau as one of the few remaining calm, rational voices on the national scene today.

Enclosures

CC: [unclear]  
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1 - Mr. Parsons  
1 - Mr. Mohr  
1 - Mr. DeLoach  
1 - Mr. Morrell  
1 - Mr. Belmont

1 - W. C. Sullivan  
1 - C. D. Brennan  
1 - Section tickler

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Memorandum to Mr. Belmont

Re: SEVENTH ANNUAL NATIONAL MILITARY  
INDUSTRIAL, AND EDUCATION CONFERENCE  
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, APRIL, 1961.

Enclosed is a copy of Sullivan's speech on which Ross based his column. It is entitled "Communism and Education in the United States," and the seven reasons for high communist morale are detailed in pages 19 through 22. It is believed that the speech and the reasons might serve an additional valuable purpose as a guide for the Crime Records Division in answering inquiries from the public concerning the nature and strength of the communist movement in our country today. The speech had been submitted for approval prior to delivery and a master copy is on file for future reference.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. For the information of the Director.
  2. That this memorandum and enclosures be referred to the Crime Records Division for information and guidance.
- [Handwritten signatures and initials are visible in the lower half of the page, including "JMS", "JMS", "WAS", and a large signature "James J. ..."]*

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 W.C. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ingram \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

## NORMAN ROSS

# Why U.S. Reds Remain Confident

Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan heads all research activities of the domestic division of the FBI. He differs widely from the conventional stereotype of our more than 6,000 FBI agents.

Widely educated and deeply read, he is a humanist who quotes poetry, is most sensitive to civil rights and is as opposed to activities by extremists of the right as by those of the left.

NORMAN ROSS

He knows well Lenin's conviction that "youth will decide the issue of the entire struggle" for the world, and Stalin's blunt remark: "Education is a weapon the effect of which is determined by the hands which wield it, and by who is to be struck down."

Bill believes, with Horace Mann, that "education is our only political safety," but he knows, too, that Communists are convinced that time is on their side. William Z. Foster, the chairman emeritus of the

party, dedicated his book "The Twilight of World Capitalism," "To my Great-Grandson Joseph Manley Kolko Who Will Live in a Communist United States."

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I HAD A long talk with Bill just after he had battled his way through the Kansas snows to address the seventh annual National Military, Industrial and Educational Conference now under way in Chicago.

He says the Communists were strong in our country in the late '30s and early '40s when party membership reached 80,000, including 1,500 teachers, 500 of whom were in New York alone.

During this period the Young Communist League, according to FBI figures, had a top membership of 20,000.

Their hard-core strength has now been whittled away considerably, but Bill cites seven reasons why their morale remains high.

1. They believe their setbacks and failures have not

been due to our strength but to weaknesses of their own which they are now correcting.

2. They feel that though the American party is small, it has a special place in the world Communist movement as the party of the world's most powerful nation.

3. They take courage from the great growth of communism since the end of World War II. They now claim 36 million members, 17 Communist-ruled nations, more than 80 Communist parties, countless front groups and domination of one-third the earth's population and one-fourth its territory.

4. They think of themselves as a nucleus around which power can be built as we are further beset by overall economic crisis, diplomatic reverses and failure to maintain world leadership in science.

5. While they haven't attracted large numbers of our students, they feel these students are so deeply schooled in the belief that "all things are relative" that they'll be unable to withstand convinced, dedicated Communists in the future.

6. They note a trend in our educational system toward centralization and conformity which they hope to exploit in the future.

7. They are convinced that our system, by stressing grays rather than blacks and whites, will turn out students marked by "uncertainty, vacillation, aimlessness, indecision and a chronic lack of deep convictions" that will make them incapable of the self-discipline and self-sacrifice necessary in global competition between our two systems.

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BILL PLACES his hope in our dislike of the conspiratorial nature of Communist activities, their failure to produce any widely respected intellectuals, serious fallacies in their philosophy which are subject to devastating rebuttals, the progressive social development of our country and the desire of American students and teachers to think out their beliefs as individuals, without submitting to a party strait jacket.

Let's hope we justify his optimism.

Listen to the Norman Ross commentary on WLS radio (890 on your dial) each weekday at 6:45 p.m.

The Worker \_\_\_\_\_  
 The New Leader \_\_\_\_\_  
 The Wall Street Journal \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date 4-5-61

Chicago Daily News

ENCLOSURE

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May 23, 1961

PERSONAL

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Sullivan:

A careful analysis has been made of the facts relating to the responsibility for the incorrect statement which appeared in the FBI pamphlet, "Communist Target - Youth," which was prepared by an employee under your supervision and there was a definite failure in the Central Research Section to fully and completely verify the documentation of the statement in question. As Chief of this section it is your responsibility to insure that such matters are handled properly and there was a failure on your part to satisfactorily fulfill this responsibility in this instance.

Accordingly, you should make certain that this weakness is immediately corrected and that errors of this nature are avoided in the future.

Very truly yours,

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J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover  
Director

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Parsons \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Belmont \_\_\_\_\_  
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- 1 - Mr. Belmont (Personal Attention)
- 1 - Domestic Intelligence Division Personnel File

Based on memo Mr. Belmont to Mr. Parsons 5-16-61 AHB:csh.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : MR. CALLAHAN

DATE: April 20, 1961

FROM : C. R. DAVIDSON

SUBJECT: BUREAU OFFICIALS IN "WHO'S WHO"

Tolson	_____
Parsons	_____
Mohr	_____
Belmont	_____
Callahan	_____
Conrad	_____
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By routing slip dated 4/18/61, [ ] Personnel Office of the Department, forwarded a copy of a memorandum dated 4/10/61 from [ ] Interagency Advisory Group, U. S. Civil Service Commission, asking to be furnished a listing of key officials of the Department whom they desired to nominate for possible inclusion in "Who's Who." It was requested that the names, home addresses, and titles of the individuals be furnished, and it was pointed out that only the names of those individuals appointed, promoted, or reassigned to positions at the indicated levels (GS-18, its equivalent, and above) since the submission of a similar listing last year need be furnished. In this connection, we have three officials who are eligible for nomination this year, namely Assistant Director Cartha D. DeLoach, Chief Inspector William C. Sullivan, and SAC Harvey G. Foster.

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b7cRECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that we advise the Department that we nominate for possible inclusion in "Who's Who" the names of Messrs. DeLoach, Sullivan, and Foster.

If you approve, an appropriate letter to Administrative Assistant Attorney General Andretta is attached.

Enclosure *see 4-21-61*

1 - Mr. Callahan

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(3) *rmw*

MAY 1961

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : MR. MOHR

DATE: May 24, 1961

FROM : N. P. CALLAHAN *mal*

SUBJECT: LOCATION OF OFFICIALS

Tolson	_____
Parsons	_____
Mohr	_____
Belmont	_____
Callahan	_____
Conrad	_____
DeLoach	_____
Evans	_____
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Tavel	_____
Trotter	_____
W.C. Sullivan	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Ingram	_____
Gandy	_____

In my memorandum to the Director dated 5/24/61 captioned "Location of Officials," it was indicated among other things that Chief Inspector W. C. Sullivan was en route to Denver on official business. The Director noted: "When is Sullivan due back in Wash. ? H. "

Chief Inspector W. C. Sullivan is due back in Washington, D. C. on Tuesday, May 30, 1961, following his last scheduled lecture at the Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, Colorado, the evening of May 29, 1961. The above is in accordance with information furnished by the Domestic Intelligence Division.

1 - Mr. Belmont (sent direct) *Mal V.*

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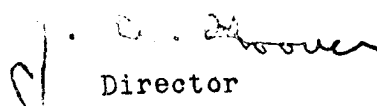
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# NOTIFICATION OF PERSONNEL ACTION

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1. NAME (LAST [CAPS]—First—Middle—Mr.—Miss—Mrs.) <b>SULLIVAN, WILLIAM C.</b>		2. DATE OF BIRTH <b>5-25-12</b>	3. IDENTIFICATION (optional) <b>#13573</b>
4. THIS IS AN OFFICIAL NOTICE OF THE PERSONNEL ACTION DESCRIBED BELOW, WHICH AFFECTS YOUR EMPLOYMENT. GENERAL INFORMATION CONCERNING YOUR EMPLOYMENT APPEARS ON THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM.			
5. NATURE OF ACTION (standard terminology must be used) <b>REASSIGNMENT</b>		6. EFFECTIVE DATE OF ACTION <b>6-17-61</b>	7. CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY <b>EXCEPTED BY LAW</b>
FROM— <b>Chief Inspector</b>  <b>GS 18</b> <b>\$18,500 per annum</b>		8. POSITION TITLE AND NUMBER  9. SERIES, GRADE, SALARY  10. NAME AND LOCATION OF OFFICE BY WHICH EMPLOYED  11. DUTY STATION	TO— <b>Assistant Director</b>  <b>GS 18</b> <b>\$18,500 per annum</b>  <b>Domestic Intelligence Division</b> <b>Washington, D. C.</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		12. APPORTIONED POSITION	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Apportionment Waived STATE: <input type="checkbox"/> Proved
13. VETERAN PREFERENCE No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 5-pt. <input type="checkbox"/> 10-pt. Disab. <input type="checkbox"/> 10-pt. Other <input type="checkbox"/>		14. TENURE GROUP	
15. POSITION OCCUPIED IS IN THE: <input type="checkbox"/> Competitive Service <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excepted Service		16. APPROPRIATION From: S. & E., FBI TO: SAME	
17. PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS CSR <input type="checkbox"/> FICA <input type="checkbox"/> FEGLI <input type="checkbox"/>		18. DATE OF APPOINTMENT AFFIDAVITS (accessions only)	
19. REMARKS: <input type="checkbox"/> a. Subject to completion of 1 year probationary (or trial) period commencing _____ <input type="checkbox"/> b. Service counting toward career (or permanent) tenure from: _____ Separations: Show reasons below, as required. Check, if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> c. During probation <input type="checkbox"/> d. From appointment of 6 months or less			
<b>Basis for this position is Section 505(e) of the Classification Act of 1949 as amended.</b>  <b>Incumbent has been detailed to this position effective 6-2-61.</b>  <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"><b>NOTIFIED</b> 27 JUN 18 1961</div>			
20. EMPLOYING DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION		22. SIGNATURE (or other authentication) AND TITLE   <b>Director</b>	
21. OFFICE MAINTAINING OFFICIAL PERSONNEL FOLDER (if different than item 10, above) FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON 25, D. C.		23. DATE: <b>6-2-61</b>	

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : MR. BELMONT *WCS*

FROM : W. C. Sullivan *WCS*

SUBJECT: SCREENING COMMITTEE

DATE: 6/8/61

cc Mr. Belmont  
Mr. Mohr  
Mr. Tavel  
Mr. Sullivan

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Belmont \_\_\_\_\_  
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Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
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Ingram \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

In view of my increased responsibilities, requiring my presence at the desk, it is believed in the best interests of the Bureau for me to submit my resignation as a member of the Screening Committee.

## RECOMMENDATION:

That approval be given for me to resign from this committee, as indicated above.

*G W.C.S.*

WCS:CSH (5)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : MR. PARSONS

DATE: 5/16/61

FROM : A. H. Belmont

cc Mr. Parsons  
Mr. Belmont  
Mr. Baumgardner  
Mr. Sullivan  
Mr. CallahanSUBJECT: Information Concerning  
(Internal Security)

Tolson	_____
Parsons	_____
Belmont	_____
Callahan	_____
Conrad	_____
DeLoach	_____
Evans	_____
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In accordance with the Director's instructions, we have analyzed the explanations of the San Francisco Office, dated 5/11/61, in this matter, and have made recommendations placing responsibility both at San Francisco and the seat of government.

When the rioting at San Francisco took place from 5/12 to 5/14/60, it was recognized as a matter of considerable significance from the standpoint of Communist Party activity. San Francisco was instructed on 5/18/60 to submit a detailed analysis as to what took place. San Francisco did submit a comprehensive report, dated 5/31/60, on the riot and the part played in it by the Communist Party, attributing the information to "sources which have furnished reliable information in the past, eye witnesses, and available public sources."

After the report was reviewed at the Bureau, it was decided to make a public statement regarding the communist influence in the riot, to alert the public as to what had happened. The Bureau pamphlet "Communist Target - Youth" was highly effective in showing the communist participation in the HCUA demonstration, and severely curtailed the effectiveness of the communist propaganda running rampant in the weeks subsequent to the riot.

The Central Research Section was requested to write a story of the rioting in a manner which would make the greatest impact on the public. Supervisor Charles D. Brennan prepared the pamphlet. The San Francisco report on which it was largely based was positive in tone, and no qualification was placed on its contents. It was taken at face value and, in the absence of some reason to doubt its accuracy, we relied on it, bearing in mind that San Francisco stated the information was furnished by sources which had furnished reliable information in the past, by eye witnesses, and by available public sources.

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The paragraph in our pamphlet relative to leaping the barricade, hitting the police officer, and turning the hoses on, is based on positive statements in the San Francisco report and, in fact, is taken almost verbatim from the report.

Enclosures  
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*The Commission on the Assassination of J.F.K. advised  
Mr. Belmont Sullivan  
Brennan 5/23/61 JEC:prad*

Memo Mr. Belmont to Mr. Parsons  
Re:

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ADDENDUM:

I think SAC Auerbach is wrong in his approach to the whole problem and his excuses are fallacious, and it is noted that he recommends no administrative action. I recommend that in addition to censure he be placed on probation.

I agree with Mr. Belmont's recommendation that Supervisor Brennan of the Central Research Section be censured. The draft was approved by Mr. W. C. Sullivan, Section Chief, and since the over-all supervision of this document prepared in the Domestic Intelligence Division was handled by Mr. Belmont, I recommend that they also be censured.

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5/17/61

*Parsons.*

*S.S.*

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PERMANENT BRIEFS OF SAC AUERBACH, CHIEF INSPECTOR SULLIVAN AND  
SA BRENNAN ARE ATTACHED.

*Detached 5/22/61*

June 1, 1961

PERSONAL

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am indeed pleased to advise you  
of your promotion to the position of Assistant  
Director of the Domestic Intelligence Division  
at no change in grade or salary effective  
June 2, 1961.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont *W.C.S.*

DATE: June 24, 1961

FROM : Mr. W. C. Sullivan *W.C.S.*SUBJECT: RE INCIDENT OF THE NIGHT  
OF JUNE 23, 1961

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Last night about 10:40 p.m., I heard some alarmed shouts across the street from where I live. I picked up a flashlight and a pistol and went outside. A few neighbors had gathered and informed me that there were night prowlers in back of one of the homes. In this area, there is a large woods consisting of many acres bordering the homes. It was pointed out to me where two prowlers had been seen. I went down into this area in the woods where trees had been knocked down in preparation for the building of a road. One or two homes are under construction nearby. On going around the corner of one of these incompleated structures, my flashlight was able to pick up two men standing at the edge of the woods. They started to run and I chased them over this area where the road is under construction. They turned and ran into the woods and at that point to stop them, I fired two shots into the air but they continued to run. I followed them into the woods where one separated from the other and I continued to follow the man closest to me for some 200 yards, losing him in a swamp area.

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This is one of five or six other occasions where disturbances of this kind have occurred. A few days ago an automobile was stolen on the street on which I live. Last winter after a light snowfall, I noticed the next morning, by a number of tracks made, that a man had climbed over the fence encircling my lawn and had stood for a while near the corner of the house.

The Cheverly, Maryland, community in which I live is completely residential but because it is somewhat removed from city conditions with much woodland surrounding it, it does afford some cover for people who have lawless intentions.

RECOMMENDATION:

This is for the record.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan

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Very truly yours,

(Written  
Signature)

*William C. Sullivan*

(Typed  
Signature)

William C. Sullivan

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William C. Sullivan



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Assistant Director

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Chief Inspector

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*William C. Sullivan*

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William C. Sullivan

1 - Mr. Belmont  
1 - Mr. Sullivan  
1 - Liaison  
1 - Mr. Cregar

June 30, 1961

BY LIAISON

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[Redacted]  
United States Intelligence Board  
Central Intelligence Agency  
2430 M Street, Northwest  
Washington 25, D. C.

My dear Mr. [Redacted]

It is to advise that Assistant Director William C. Sullivan has been designated by me to replace Mr. Allen W. Belmont as the Federal Bureau of Investigation representative on the United States Intelligence Board. This change is necessary as a result of the additional duties Mr. Belmont has assumed in his new position as Assistant to the Director.

In addition to Mr. Sullivan obtaining the special clearances needed as my representative on the United States Intelligence Board, it is my desire that Mr. Belmont in his new assignment retain the special clearances previously afforded him as the Federal Bureau of Investigation representative on the United States Intelligence Board.

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Sincerely yours,

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NOTE:

In discussing the matter of clearances with

for the National Photographic Intelligence Center, Liaison learned that a provision or billet had been assigned by the White House for one Assistant Director to be cleared

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Honorable [redacted]

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NOTE CONTINUED:

For certain sensitive information related to overhead  
aerial photography (U-2 flights). This clearance  
is presently held by Mr. Belmont. Mr. Sullivan as  
Assistant Director is eligible for clearances; however,  
he will need to obtain an additional list for Mr. Belmont  
in his assignment as Assistant to the Director.  
[redacted] indicated this could be best accomplished  
by indicating in our letter to the Chairman of USIB that  
it is desired Mr. Belmont retain his special clearances.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 6/29/61

FROM : A. Rosen

SUBJECT: NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY  
RACIAL MATTERS

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A copy of the "American National Book News" for June-July, 1961, issued by the American National Book Store, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, containing derogatory and libelous remarks regarding the Director and the Bureau, has been received.

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The editor and manager of this publication and owner of the book store is [redacted] of the American Nazi Party. He joined the National States Rights Party (NSRP) after [redacted]

[redacted] is the individual who was identified as the person who sent a hate letter to the Ghana Delegation to the United Nations, 4/4/61, under a fictitious name and he admitted this to Bureau Agents, 5/18/61.

An article in this publication states that the 5/10/61 issue of the "Paterson Evening News" contains the following statements:

"During the past few weeks, Hoover has sent FBI chief inspector William C. Sullivan to deliver speeches in many parts of the nation, warning Americans NOT to be taken in by charges that their churches are overrun with REDS.

"These allegations have served to create the impression among many Americans that the Protestant denominations in particular have been subjected to alarming infiltration and influence, Sullivan says. But this is a PATENT FALSEHOOD. The truth of the matter is that the Communist party has NOT achieved any substantial success in exerting domination, control or influence over America's clergymen or religious institutions on a National scale.

"Sullivan is not making this statement on his own authority. He is speaking with the full approval and personal backing of HOOVER. And the FBI director has so informed a number of amateur Communist hunters, who wrote him protesting Sullivan's speeches.

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1 - Mr. Sullivan

1 - Mr. DeLoach

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ENCLOSURE

Memorandum to Mr. Belmont

"The most interesting reaction,' an FBI official told United Press INTERNATIONAL, 'has been from the Communists. They are very upset by Sullivan's remarks.' It continued, 'They love to have wild charges of Communist domination hurled against America's Churches.'"

The "American National Book News" then makes the following statements:

"Naturally, this sort of thing is 'straight up the alley' for the Communist Party U.S.A.--as it is for the NATIONAL AND WORLD COUNCIL OF CHURCHES--Communist led and Communist-saturated.

"THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES OF CHRIST HAS DONE MORE TO NURTURE COMMUNISM THAN ANY OTHER ORGANIZATION IN THE UNITED STATES.' (Testified, under OATH, before House Committee of Un-American Activities.)

"On the other hand, it sounds the DEATH KNELL--the 'hatchet job'--as far as the House Committee on Un-American Activities is concerned. Any wonder that Rep. Francis E. Walters gracefully stepped out of the picture? Don't the pieces fit--perfectly?

"It just goes to prove than even J. EDGAR HOOVER, Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation--CAN BE BOUGHT--AND WAS BOUGHT! Even 'Masters of Deceit' was Bogus--'Jews have nothing to do with Communism.' Most of us knew, even then, J. EDGAR HOOVER HAD BEEN BOUGHT."

(Above quotes are from page 1 and lower portion of page 2 of "American National Book News"--Photostat attached.)

It is indicated in the "American National Book News" that the American National Book Store is the official book store of the NSRP. The NSRP, a hate-type organization, publishes the "Thunderbolt" which has also contained vicious attacks upon the Director and the Bureau. Various editions of the "Thunderbolt," containing libelous attacks similar to the above attack, were referred to the Department for its legal opinion and the Criminal Division of the Department advised that it did not believe that the libelous remarks violated any Federal laws.

Memorandum to Mr. Belmont

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ACTION

Inasmuch as we have been keeping the Department informed of the activities of [ ] and the NSRP, a copy of the publication is being made available to the Department for the completion of its files.

*[Handwritten signatures and initials]*

August 4, 1961

PERSONAL

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Bill:

Twenty years of public service is indeed an accomplishment to be proud of and because today marks your attainment of this goal I want to congratulate you and to present on behalf of all of your friends and associates throughout the Bureau the enclosed Twenty-Year Service Award Key.

Your two decades of service to the FBI have been a source of gratification to me. Your unhesitating acceptance of increasing responsibilities has conformed in every respect to the high standards of our organization. The excellent results achieved by you and your unswerving devotion to duty have been exemplary. The sense of pride and accomplishment which should be yours today is shared and realized by your associates who are well aware of the attention and effort which have been exercised by the Bureau's veteran personnel. Associates such as you, with long years of service, provide a firm foundation for our operations and share appreciably in our successful performance of duty.

I sincerely hope that we may continue to count on you to assist in discharging our ever-increasing responsibilities.

With best wishes and kind regards,

Sincerely,

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J. EDGAR HOOVER

Enclosure

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1 - Mr. M. A. Jones (Direct)

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Signature)

[Signature]

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William C. Sullivan





UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

*In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.*

Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

RE: SA William C. Sullivan  
(Type or print plainly)

Dear Sir:

For inclusion in the fund to be paid to the designated beneficiary of any Special Agent of the FBI who has previously contributed to this fund and who dies from any cause except self-destruction while employed as a Special Agent, I am forwarding herewith (by CHECK - MONEY ORDER) the sum of \$10, payable to the Assistant Director, Administrative Division, FBI, to be included in said fund. Payment will be made for death by self-destruction after the Agent has been a member of the fund for a continuous period of two years. It is understood and agreed that the sum tendered herewith is a voluntary, gratuitous contribution to said fund which I understand is to be administered in the following manner.


The Director of the FBI will appoint a committee which shall consider all matters pertaining to the acquisition, safe keeping and expending of said fund, which committee will recommend appropriate action to the Director in pertinent matters. The Assistant Director of the Administrative Division of the FBI shall receive all contributions and account for same to the Director. Upon the death of any Special Agent who is a member of said fund the appointed committee will consider the case and submit a recommendation to the Director as to its conclusions. Appropriate instructions will then be issued to the Assistant Director of the Administrative Division, directing him to pay to the designated beneficiary the sum of \$10,000. The liability of the fund shall not under any circumstances exceed the amount of monies in the fund at the time any liability shall occur. The following person is designated as my beneficiary for FBI Agents' Insurance Fund:

Name <b>Marion L. Sullivan</b>	Relationship <b>Wife</b>	Date <b>7/17/61</b>
Address <b>2810-64th Avenue, Cheverly, Maryland</b>		

The following person is designated as my beneficiary under the Chas. S. Ross Fund providing \$1500 death benefit to beneficiary of agents killed in the line of duty, other than travel accidents.

Name <b>Marion L. Sullivan</b>	Relationship <b>Wife</b>	Date <b>7/17/61</b>
Address <b>2810-64th Avenue, Cheverly, Maryland</b>		

Very truly yours,

  
 Special Agent

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

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Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 7/24/61

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN  
EOD 8/4/41  
DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION  
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20-YEAR SERVICE AWARD KEY

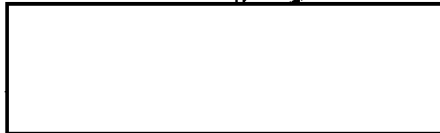
There is attached a photograph taken in the Director's Office today at the time Assistant Director William C. Sullivan received his 20-Year Service Award Key. It is thought perhaps the Director might like to autograph this photograph for Mr. Sullivan.

Enclosure

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July 29, 1961

Mr. Tolson	/
Mr. Belmont	/
Mr. Callahan	/
Mr. Conrad	/
Mr. DeLoach	/
Mr. Evans	/
Mr. Malone	/
Mr. Rosen	/
Mr. Sullivan	/
Mr. Tavel	/
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Mr. Ingram	/
Miss Gandy	/

Honorable Sir:

Mr. William Sullivan, who represented himself to be one of your key assistants, spoke before the Jaycees at Proviso Township High 2 or 3 months ago at a seminar on communism. Several pro or secret Communists asked questions which were not adequately answered & Mr. Sullivan refused to answer several legitimate questions by ordinary folks. So, thinking that Mr. Sullivan could talk without violation of security procedures about matters of public record, I asked: "How many Congressional contempt citations of 5th amendment communists have been overruled in the Courts? (remembering only the Matusow perjury). To my dismay, Sullivan said he was prohibited from answering, so I asked "In what proportion of such cases have there been acquittals?" Again no answer & the Commie line benefitted. If Sullivan cannot speak, then he should not speak, or at least not have question periods.

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Now this is of major concern of me because several of my acquaintances have heard Sullivan at numerous affairs and have commented to me with considerably more vigor than I thought them capable of, that Sullivan's approach sounded like "sabotage." The rumor has since started that people who do not have security clearances, but who are on the White House staff or closely related, may be pushing Sullivan to take over your job & protect influential reds.

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I pass this on to you for whatever it may be worth. My sources all have the highest regard for the F.B.I. and are not unaware of your (the Bureau's) limitations, nor are they prone to speak flipantly or irresponsibly.

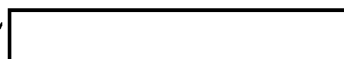
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Whether lack of information, training or administrative censorship, the net impression Sullivan makes may not be doing a public relations job that is positive.

Yours truly,

CORRESPONDENCE

/s/



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(Written Signature)

*William C. Sullivan*

(Typed Signature)

William C. Sullivan

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : The Director

DATE: 9/16/61

FROM : N. P. Callahan

SUBJECT: The Congressional Record

Page 10435. Congressman Philbin, (D Massachusetts), appended his remarks regarding the appointment of Mr. William C. Sullivan as Assistant Director of the Domestic Intelligence Division. Mr. Philbin stated "It is very reassuring to know that we have in a great, alert law enforcement agency, the FBI, highly qualified, dedicated leaders like Mr. Sullivan working diligently to protect the international security of the Nation. . . . The selection of Mr. Sullivan is another of many instances of the wisdom, sound judgment and spirit of dedication of our great leader at the FBI, Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, who by his long, unswerving, most able work for law, order and security has won the confidence and praise of the American people and the civilized world." Mr. Philbin included an article from the Clinton (Massachusetts) Daily Item entitled "Bolton Man Named Assistant FBI Chief."

Original filed in: 6-17781

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9 SEP 1961

In the original of a memorandum captioned and dated as above, the Congressional Record for Aug 16, 1961 was reviewed and pertinent items were marked for the Director's attention. This form has been prepared in order that portions of a copy of the original memorandum may be clipped, mounted, and placed in appropriate Bureau case or subject matter files.

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Washington, D. C.

September 26, 1961

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. Belmont	
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	
Mr. DeLoach	
Mr. Evans	
Mr. Malone	
Mr. Rosen	
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Dear Mr. Hoover,

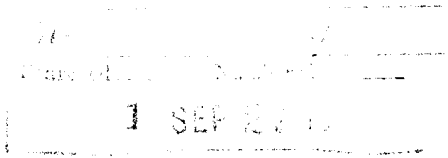
I have noted with considerable interest your memorandum of September 22, 1961, wherein you point out that commencing October 1, 1961, the maximum per diem for unusual travel expenses will be increased from \$25 to \$30 per day. This certainly is another example of your thoughtfulness relative to the men under you and the problems and expenses which they have to face. I am fully confident that those eligible for this increase in per diem will certainly use the most careful judgment in the exercising of this privilege.

While I have never used anything but the \$12 per diem, there will probably be occasions where the additional per diem when justifiable and permissible will assist in contact work done while traveling.

Respectfully,

*Bill Sullivan*  
Bill Sullivan

*no repl.*



*3-11-61*



October 16, 1961

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

I was greatly impressed with the spontaneous and enthusiastic support given by Bureau personnel to the 1961 United Givers Fund campaign which formally began on October 2, 1961. As of October 5, 1961, we were over our quota with 101 per cent. In fact, we are now over 102 per cent and the pledges are still coming in. I was highly pleased upon learning that each division, as well as the Executive Offices and Washington Field Office, exceeded its quota. This, in my opinion, reflects most favorably upon the tremendous concern for others among my associates in the Bureau.

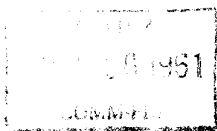
I want to take this opportunity to congratulate you and, through you, the members of your working committee, the Keymen and all of the individuals for their wonderful generosity and enthusiastic support of this worthy cause.

Sincerely yours,

1 - Miss [ ] (Sent Direct)

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Very truly yours,

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Signature)

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William C. Sullivan



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William C. Sullivan

## States' Attorneys To Hear Talk By FBI Official

HELENA (AP) — A discussion on the problems of internal security in a free society by William C. Sullivan, assistant director of the FBI, will highlight the annual conference of Western Attorneys General at Glacier Park Aug. 27-30.

Host Atty. Gen. Forrest Anderson of Montana said Sullivan will speak during a luncheon session on Monday.

Anderson said many problems facing legal departments of the states involved in the meeting will be discussed.

The conference will get under way at 3 p.m. Sunday with registration. This will be followed by a reception at 6 p.m. and dinner at 7 p.m.

Assistant Atty. Gen. Arthur C. Higgs of Oregon and Atty. Gen. Ralph E. Moody of Alaska Monday will lead a discussion on, "Current Legal Problems in Indian Affairs."

Three subjects are on tap for discussion Tuesday morning. They are, "The Attorney General Looks at Conflict of Interest Cases", conducted by Atty. Gen. Roger D. Foley of Nevada; "The Statutory and Administrative Controls on Federal Grants," with Atty. Gen. Walter L. Budge of Utah; and, "A Western Approach to Consumer Production Problems," with Atty. Gen. John J. O'Connell of Washington.

In the afternoon Atty. Gen. Stanley Mosk of California will discuss the, "Role of State Governments in Enforcing Individual Civil Rights."

A discussion on "State Action to Prevent Non-Competitive Bids" led by Mosk will precede the final business session Wednesday morning.

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**"Montana Standard"**  
**8/15/61**  
**Butte, Montana**

**Re: ANNUAL CONFERENCE  
OF WESTERN ATTORNEYS  
GENERAL, 8/27-30/61**

**Talk by WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN  
Assistant Director**

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*Memorandum*

TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: 10/10/61

FROM : J. F. Malone

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SUBJECT: INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF POLICE (IACP)  
 MONTREAL CCNFERENCE  
 SEPTEMBER 30 - OCTOBER 5, 1961  
 SPEECH BY ASSISTANT DIRECTOR W. C. SULLIVAN

Assistant Director Sullivan spoke at the IACP Conference on Tuesday morning, October 3, 1961, on the subject of "The Menace of Communism." Sullivan was the third of three speakers scheduled for the Tuesday morning program and the two preceding speakers, Judge [redacted] and Superintendent of Police [redacted] went over the time allotted to them. It was, therefore, necessary for Assistant Director Sullivan to considerably condense his remarks in order to conclude by the time set for the recess. I thought Mr. Sullivan did an outstanding job in handling this matter. He was able to give the delegates a condensation of his entire speech in a brief but effective and easily followed manner. I heard many favorable comments about Mr. Sullivan's speech and a large number of those commenting added that they would like to have heard Mr. Sullivan at greater length.

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RECOMMENDATION:

That Assistant Director Sullivan be commended for his speech at the IACP Conference.

- 1 - Mr. Callahan
- 1 - Personnel File Assistant Director Sullivan

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10/10/61

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : MR. BELMONT

DATE: 10/27/61

FROM : W. C. Sullivan

cc Mr. Belmont  
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SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] captioned above, called at my office on 10/25/61, together with another member of the faculty of [REDACTED] referred to some observations he had read in newspapers concerning lectures I had given on communism, and asked if he could discuss this matter with me, in relation to colleges and universities.

For some time we discussed this subject matter. He impressed me very favorably and I believe he has considerable potential for developing as a special contact of the FBI in the field of higher education. [REDACTED] has the usual educator's fondness for academic freedom, but he shows a much better balance than some. He was interested in discussing with me his concern over the possibility of communist professors getting on to the faculty without his knowing about it. He said that one of the difficulties is that a university does not have an investigative staff, and it is often quite hard to get the proper background material on educators hired if they deliberately tried to conceal their communist affiliations. He does not think that a communist should be hired as a teacher in a university and if one is on the faculty and can be proven to be a communist he should be dropped at once.

He then raised the question of the difficulty that an educator, inexperienced in this field, has in identifying a communist sympathizer et cetera. Some of his ideas are a bit unclear, and he needs development, but I do think he is worthwhile giving consideration to from the standpoint of the FBI. He is relatively young and should have a long career ahead of him in the field of higher education.

[REDACTED] asked me if I would have breakfast on the morning of 10/26/61 with [REDACTED] and himself. The invitation was to meet him in the lobby of the Sheraton-Carlton where they were staying. I accepted the invitation and met them there. We waited for a time for [REDACTED] and then learned that at the last moment he could not appear.

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While we were waiting, [ ] came into the lobby and commenced talking with [ ] and [ ]. They had met before, and during the conversation the educators stated we were about to have breakfast and would he join us. [ ] accepted, but when he was introduced to me and was given information as to my employment it was very obvious that he was embarrassed and was uncertain as to what to do. [ ] having the contemptible record that he does as a prejudiced critic of the Bureau, made me feel like immediately breaking the breakfast engagement, but I did not want to offend the educators and the chance to develop them, and so I said nothing, and we went into the dining room.

As I saw it, there was nothing to lose by being direct and blunt with [ ] and so when the occasion arose in the conversation I pointed out that I thought that certain segments of the press manifested an irresponsibility which was undesirable. Indirectly I criticized some of the points which [ ] had made against the FBI in a book called "Government by Investigation." I argued that such members of the American press should re-assess their sense of values and elevate their standards.

To my amazement, [ ] said "I won't argue with you on the point." Later on he mentioned the student riot on the Coast and the film "Operation Abolition." I was asked to comment and I told him I had no comment to make on the film, but the position taken by the FBI on the riot was completely factual and sound. He said that he did not think that the communists had caused the riot; that the students had allowed their emotions to sweep them off their feet in the direction of lawlessness.

I told him that I regarded the activities of the communists within the demonstration to be especially important relative to the riot. I asked [ ] if he thought that the communists had contributed anything at all to the riot. He paused for sometime on this question and said that they contributed, he thought, very little just as they had contributed very little to the election of President Kennedy. I questioned the correctness of his analogy, and we changed from that subject to academic freedom.

[ ] made the statement that there seemed to be a clash between security and academic freedom. I replied that any assumption was false which indicated that there was a conflict between the interests of national security and academic freedom properly understood. [ ] said that he believed "the greatest possible tolerance" should be shown to professors, irrespective of their political, economic, or sociological viewpoints; hence he would not voice any objection to having a communist as a member of a faculty. I asked



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him if he would agree that a man should be a member of a faculty if he embraced the Nazi doctrines of racial superiority, or similar viewpoints. He again paused for sometime and said, "If he was a competent professor, he probably should remain on the faculty, but I would never invite such a person into my home."

We then returned to the question of the press and once again I pointed to examples of irresponsibility on the part of some segments of the press. I mentioned that the FBI had been subjected to unprincipled and utterly uncalled for attacks by irresponsible writers. I argued that either these attacks were deliberate and those who made them knew them to be false, or else they were the result of inadvertence and ignorance, and in either case irresponsibility was manifested.

We ended up discussing the shortcomings of the press, and again I must say I was most surprised to find [ ] reluctant to defend this particular position. As a matter of fact, toward the end of our conversation in this field he became silent.

Throughout the entire conversation I was very gratified to note that [ ] defended, without exception, every position that I took in the argument. He went beyond that to make clear his very high regard for the FBI, and he expressed his disgust with some educators who seemed prone to criticize us.

[ ] was equally friendly toward the FBI, while he did not have too much to say during the conversation.

On finishing breakfast, [ ] quickly left, and I stood around a bit and talked with the two educators in the lobby. Both expressed to me their satisfaction over my having criticized the irresponsibility of certain segments of the press. They said their own university suffers from the same type of thing. [ ] pointed out that if some student makes a fool of himself and gets arrested for intoxication, the press gives it the headlines with all the gory details, but it is very difficult to get the press to present to the public an account of the constructive work and programs being carried on regularly at the university, or the outstanding achievements of any of the students.

[ ] did mention to me former FBI Agent Cleon Skousen, and said he thought that this person was doing the

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FBI considerable harm by his utterances. He said that Skousen tries to create the impression that he is an outstanding authority on communism, precisely because he was in the FBI and for that reason should be accepted and supported in his positions, because of his FBI connections in the past. I assured [redacted] that Mr. Skousen had absolutely no connection with us whatsoever at this time, and that neither he nor any other former Agent should be regarded as an authority on communism merely because at one time he had worked for the FBI. [redacted] said he understood this fully, but he felt that not all people did.

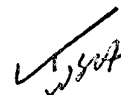
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[redacted] had asked me for material by the Director on communism and I brought some with me to the breakfast. When I gave it to him I took occasion to hand [redacted] a copy of the Director's statement in the Law Enforcement Bulletin of 4/61. I asked him had he read it and he said no he had never read it. I remarked, "That is the trouble with some of our critics--they do not know us," and I referred to a story attributed to [redacted] to clinch the point. [redacted] laughed, but said nothing.

The meeting broke up on a very cordial note, and I believe these educators are worth keeping in mind. The indices were reviewed on both of them and no derogatory information could be identified with them.

RECOMMENDATION:

For your information.



October 11, 1961

PERSONAL

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Bill:

I have been advised of the effectiveness of your speech entitled "The Menace of Communism" which you gave before the International Association of Chiefs of Police Conference in Montreal, Canada, and I am pleased to commend you. You were certainly a credit to the Bureau and your performance has definitely enhanced our prestige. I want you to know of my appreciation.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - Mr. M. A. Jones

1 - Miss   (Sent Direct)

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*Memorandum*TO : MR. A. J. BELMONT *BM*

DATE: January 30, 1962

FROM : MR. W. C. SULLIVAN *WCS*

1-Mr. Belmont

1-Mr. Mohr

1-Mr. Malone

1-Mr. Sullivan

SUBJECT: FIREARMS - USE OF

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Reference is made to SAC Letter No. 62-5 dated January 29, 1962. I have purchased a Smith & Wesson snub-nosed .38 pistol. It is chambered for 5 cartridges. It is respectfully requested that I be granted permission to carry this personally owned firearm when on travel assignments. *Serial Number -*

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RECOMMENDATION:

That the above be approved.

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January 2, 1962

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PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

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Based on the recent inspection, the various operations of the Domestic Intelligence Division - Physical Condition and Maintenance, Investigative Operations, Administrative Operations, Personnel Matters, and Contacts - are rated Very Good.

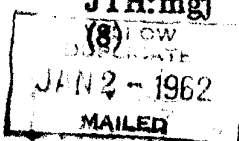
The space occupied was found to be very well kept and showed imaginative use of decorations in order to overcome its rather closed-in feeling due to a lack of windows in various rooms. You should continue to stress the necessity for tight security in your operations and should closely follow to see that buzzer and alarm systems are promptly installed.

[I was gratified to learn that your programs to uncover illegal agents and infiltrate Soviet-bloc intelligence operations have shown very good results.] You should continue to develop such imaginative programs but must make sure through constant evaluation that they continue to be productive. (U)

I was also pleased to note that there has been a slight improvement in security informants developed in the Communist Party at a time when the Party has deactivated its recruitment. However, in view of the impending prosecution of Communist Party leaders in which Bureau informants may be utilized as witnesses, it is incumbent on you to increase your coverage to replace those informants who may be uncovered.

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1 - Mr. Callahan (Attention: Mr. C. R. Davidson) (with enclosure)  
1 - Personnel file of Mr. William C. Sullivan

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NOTE: Based on memo J. F. Malone to Mr. Mohr, dated 12/29/61, Re: Inspection - Domestic Intelligence Division, Inspector J. T. Haverty, 12/4 - 18/61, JTH:ejw.

**Mr. William C. Sullivan**

Although your stenographic production has greatly improved since the last inspection, it is still slightly below the over-all Bureau average. You should make every effort to see that adequate training is given to your stenographers and typists so that they may become more proficient in their duties.

You should continue to supervise closely the liaison Agents engaged in daily contact work to insure that such Agents are productively planning their activities.

You should insure that antiquated records are not maintained and that your systems for reporting the weekly delinquency figures are uniform within the Division.

Morale among your personnel is considered high, and employees exhibited an enthusiastic, businesslike attitude toward their duties.

Your speech program was found to be effective and the Inspector found your Division well aware of its liaison responsibilities.

The findings of the Inspector have been called to your attention during the course of the inspection. You should carefully study the inspection report and work papers which were left with you. After careful review with your supervisory staff, you should advise the Training and Inspection Division promptly, and in detail, of the action taken by you to correct the delinquencies detected during the course of the inspection.

Sincerely yours,

**John Edgar Hoover**  
Director

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: 11/9/61

FROM : J. F. Malone

SUBJECT: APPEARANCE OF ASSISTANT DIRECTORS  
BEFORE IN-SERVICE CLASSES

The attached memorandum set forth dates on which Assistant Directors did not appear before In-Service Classes during the past 3 weeks. Mr. Tolson instructed that explanations be obtained as to why the Assistant Directors did not appear and the Director approved.

Set forth below is the explanation submitted by each Assistant Director with the dates on which he did not appear before the In-Service Classes:

MR. CALLAHAN, 10/16, 10/20, 11/2 and 11/3/61:

My failure to appear on the dates indicated is attributable to the need to afford my personal attention to official matters which I considered at the time to be of a more pressing nature. The seminar is conducted normally by me and representatives of this division consisting primarily of the Personnel Officer and the Section Chief of the Voucher-Statistical Section. The majority of the matters generally raised by the class concern travel and expense account problems.

MR. CONRAD, 10/20/61:

I am regularly scheduled for Laboratory Policy Seminar for all In-Service and New Agents' Classes and I handle this assignment personally when present. It is noted that on October 20, I was suffering from a very severe cold which, during the course of the day, developed into frequent coughing and almost complete loss of voice through hoarseness. Accordingly, being unable, because of this illness to appear before the class, I designated Laboratory Division Number One Man, Dr. Briggs J. White, to handle the Policy Seminar on that date.

MR. DeLOACH, 10/27/51:

The Director had approved my attending the National Executive Committee meetings of The American Legion in Indianapolis, Indiana, on the first three days of the week, October 23, 24 and 25, 1961. As a result, I had considerable

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Memo to Mr. Mohr

Re: APPEARANCE OF ASSISTANT DIRECTORS  
BEFORE IN-SERVICE CLASSES

work on my desk of an expedite nature which was absolutely necessary to handle without delay. My overtime for that particular week will attest to this fact. Furthermore, I had three appointments that particular morning in connection with people who were here from out of town to prepare articles for the FBI. Consequently, Inspector [ ] was assigned to handle the In-Service that particular morning. I try to lecture before all In-Services where it is humanly possible.

MR. EVANS, 10/27, 10/31 and 11/2/61:

I make it a practice to appear before In-Service and New Agents training classes personally whenever possible. With reference to my nonappearance on October 27 and 31 and November 2, I was in the Department at the times of these In-Service lectures meetings with the Executive Assistant to the Attorney General relative to "communist doctrine, tactics, strategy and objectives, instructions for high school and college students"; with Deputy Attorney General [ ] as to cooperation in law enforcement and with Assistant Attorney General Miller concerning a personnel matter involving former Special Agent [ ]

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MR. ROSEN, 10/31 and 11/2/61:

With reference to not having appeared before In-Service Class on 10/31 and 11/2, I have checked and found that I was in the office. I am unable at this time to recall the reason for not attending. I will endeavor to make every effort to attend these scheduled lectures, which have been previously covered by me in the absence of the pressure of other matters.

MR. SULLIVAN, 10/23/61:

(Explanation furnished by Inspector Joseph A. Sizoo for Mr. Sullivan who is at Albuquerque on a speaking engagement.)

Mr. Sullivan had an appointment on 10/23/61 with Colonel Kintner of the Foreign Research Institute, University of Pennsylvania. The appointment had been made a week before and Mr. Sullivan was to meet Colonel Kintner at the Statler Hotel the morning of 10/23/61. Attempts were made to contact Colonel Kintner at the Statler but he had gone to the Treasury Department for appointments with Treasury officials. It was then necessary for Mr. Sullivan to proceed to the Statler and keep the appointment with Colonel Kintner. Inspector Sizoo substituted for him in handling the In-Service lecture.



Memo to Mr. Mohr  
Re: APPEARANCE OF ASSISTANT DIRECTORS  
BEFORE IN-SERVICE CLASSES

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MR. TAVEL, 11/2/61:

The time allotted to Files and Communications Division for appearance before In-Service classes is devoted to taking the class on a tour of our space in the Justice Building and explaining our operations on the spot, rather than classroom lecture. I make it a point to appear before each class to explain the purpose of the tour and encourage questions. On November 2, I recall that I had gone to our division's space in the Identification Building, where we have several hundred employees. I attempt to inspect this space several times a week, and on this occasion was detained due to a discussion with supervisory personnel of installation of new ventilation equipment in the room containing our lamination machine used for file repair, and several other matters pertaining to the work of the division. I was unable to return to the Justice Building until shortly after the In-Service class arrived for the tour, and Mr. Waikart, Number One Man of the Division, appeared before the class in my absence. I will insure in the future that I continue to appear before all In-Service classes, and afford such appearances top priority.

RECOMMENDATION:

For the information of the Director.

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# FBI Speaker Says History On Side of Free Nations

History is on the side of the free nations of the West in their struggle against Communism, an authority on Red tactics declared.

William C. Sullivan, assistant director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, told the International Association of Chiefs of Police at their annual conference held recently in Montreal, that "free societies invariably have proved more resilient, creative, and enduring than those under the totalitarian yoke."

"What Communists regard as the weak point of the free world — our individual freedom, which generates diversity of beliefs and views — is actually our strong point."

"It is our strength," he added, "because of the inherent desire of all men for freedom and the willingness of free-world governments to respond to that natural desire in securing it, defending it, and preserving it. Freedom is the one value that is at the root of and is inseparable from all other values."

## 'Total Power'

"In their propaganda," Mr. Sullivan pointed out, "the Communists falsely pose the issue as one between Communism and capitalism. In reality, the struggle is between Communism and freedom."

"Free world opposition to the Communist world is rooted in the realistic fear of tremendous power that threatens the peace of the world and the independence of other nations. This is a political, not an economic reason."

The veteran FBI agent made it clear that "the central Communist challenge" is "seizure of total power for the imposi-

tion of their totalitarian system on the world."

Among the specific challenges comprising the total challenge, he explained, is the "psychological challenge," which he said "springs from the cumulative effect of the successes Communists have enjoyed in all the areas where they challenge us."

He cited their "recent dramatic achievements in science and technology — notably their successes in space" along with the "substantial progress the Communist world has made in real factors of industrial growth."

"Backed by its increasing industrial capacity and by a demonstrated military might, international Communism has entered a new era in its psychological dealings with the non-Communist world," Mr. Sullivan declared.

"Propagandizing on the theme that Communism is not only inevitable but also invincible, the world Communist movement is intent on riding a psychological wave into a future which it confidently predicts will see the total victory of Communism."

## 'Defeatism'

Red propagandists hammer away at the themes of the inevitability and invincibility of Communism, he said, in order "to weaken the moral fiber of the non-Communist world by instilling an attitude of defeatism and to generate a sense of futility."

At the same time, the Communists "are holding forth an alluring alternative for the non-Communist world. It is peaceful co-existence. A clever tactic, peaceful co-existence is designed to buy time for the Communist conspirators to consolidate their gains, and to conceal Communist probing for soft spots in the non-Communist world."

Mr. Sullivan emphasized that so-called peaceful co-existence "deceitfully holds forth the promise of the existence side by side of the Communist and non-Communist worlds for an indefinite period of time." In reality, however, it is "just another tactical weapon in the Communist psychological challenge."

He told the police chiefs that the new draft program of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union "exposes peaceful co-existence for what it really is — just another instrument of world revolution."

"Presumably," he said, "the non-Communist world, nation by nation, is supposed to surrender meekly as the Communists continue to proclaim peace while doing their utmost to subvert and overthrow existing non-Communist governments."

## Economic War

Mr. Sullivan also emphasized the economic challenge of the Communists, which he said is becoming "increasingly formidable."

"There is a concentrated effort," he said, "being made by the Communists to equal and surpass the industrial production of the Western nations. At the same time, the Communists are:

1.) Waging all-out economic warfare to capture Western markets throughout the world.

2.) Using economic victories to make decisive Communist political and economic penetration of the underdeveloped areas with their uncommitted peoples.

3.) Wielding the newly developing economic power of the Communist bloc to force the collapse of the economies of free world nations."

The Soviet's current economic program, he said, aims to have the Soviet bloc "reach 50 per cent of the entire industrial output of the world by 1965."

Turning to the "conspiratorial challenge" of Communism, Mr. Sullivan reminded the police chiefs that "Communists have an inherent disdain for law enforcement."

"Those of us in any area of law enforcement must be alert to Communist tactics," he warned. Their attacks against law enforcement, he pointed out, "are calculated to weaken and destroy one of the fundamental institutions of our society that stands as a bulwark against the Communist conspiratorial challenge."

## Spies

Communist-bloc countries have an estimated 300,000 men and women trained in intelligence work operating throughout the world, he said. In West Germany and West Berlin alone it is estimated that Communist countries maintain some 16,000 spies, he added.

"Can we," asked Mr. Sullivan, "who live in open societies that are based upon democratic principles and adherence to individual freedom under law compete effectively with world Communism—a closed, totalitarian society uninhibited by traditional moral scruples, intent on our destruction, and bent on world domination?"

"The only answer," he declared, "is an unequivocal

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: 4/14/62

FROM : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

SUBJECT:

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The above-captioned person is the son of a friend of mine,  submitted my name as a reference relating to an application which he has filed for appointment as a commissioned officer in the United States Navy. The reference asked for is a character one only.

I have known this boy for some 12 years and he is known to me as a person of excellent character.

I have submitted a brief statement to the Navy stating to my knowledge he is a person of sound character. I pointed out that this was a personal recommendation only.

RECOMMENDATION:

For the file.

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
  - 1 - Mr. J. P. Mohr
  - 1 - Mr. Callahan
  - 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- L-456

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: February 9, 1962

FROM : Mr. W. C. Sullivan *WCS*

1 - Mr. Belmont  
 1 - Mr. Mohr  
 1 - Mr. Callahan  
 1 - Mr. Sullivan  
 1 - Mr. Brennan  
 1 - Mr. Sizoo  
 1 - Mr. Baumgardner

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SUBJECT: STENNIS SUBCOMMITTEE OF  
 SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE  
 ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF FOR INTELLIGENCE (ACSI) 1 -   
 DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
 INQUIRY CONCERNING FBI CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL

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In answer to the Director's questions concerning the handling of this matter, there is set forth an analysis as to responsibilities both in the field and at the Seat of Government (SOG) together with suggestions for action designed to prevent a recurrence.

The attached memorandum dated 2/7/62 in this matter set forth the background and details as to the handling of the communication from Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence (ACSI) and answers certain of the Director's questions. Instant memorandum deals with the remaining questions raised by the Director along with recommendations for disciplinary action.

Field Responsibility

The Director has asked if former Special Agent in Charge (SAC) Richard D. Auerbach received approval from the Bureau before he disseminated his analysis of the film "Operation Abolition." The answer is a definite no. The San Francisco Office has made it clear that Auerbach formulated his decision to disseminate this information to the military intelligence agencies despite the fact that the Bureau had sent instructions to the field in SAC Letter #60-57 dated 12/13/60 entitled "HCUA Movie 'Operation Abolition'". These instructions explained that in view of the controversial nature of the film the field should be most circumspect in the event inquiries were received concerning this movie. Additionally, the SAC Letter instructed that any comments on the movie be confined to the statement that the film was sponsored and distributed by the House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA) and the FBI had no connection with its preparation. Although this SAC Letter was dated 12/13/60, less than three months later SAC Auerbach deliberately ordered, prepared and approved for dissemination the letterhead memorandum in question of 3/7/61. It is most difficult in view of the explicit instructions given to understand how he could in any way misinterpret the statements so as to give any justification for taking the action he did.

ENCLOSURE  
 (9) *WCS*

*memo Sullivan to Belmont  
 2/9/62 (encl)*

*FBI 100-100000-100000*

*ACSI Letter  
 1962-13/62*

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*PERS. REC. UNIT*

Memorandum to Mr. Belmont  
RE: STEINIS SUBCOMMITTEE OF  
SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE  
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF FOR INTELLIGENCE  
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
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A second question relates to whether or not SAC Auerbach sent to the Bureau a copy of the memorandum in question after he had disseminated it to the intelligence agencies. Again the answer is no. Mr. Auerbach did not send the Bureau a copy or in any way indicate that such a memorandum was in existence.

A third question is how our information which was disseminated to the Sixth Army under the date of 3/7/61 could appear in a domestic intelligence summary of the Sixth Army for February, 1961. The answer is the domestic intelligence summary for February, 1961, was not prepared by the Sixth Army until 3/15/61. The Sixth Army included in this February summary the information which was disseminated to them by Mr. Auerbach on 3/7/61. *Shouldn't we get copies wherein internal security matters are covered?*

A fourth question is did we receive a copy of the domestic intelligence summary prepared by the Sixth Army? The answer is we did not receive a copy at the SOG. San Francisco has advised by teletype 2/7/62 that it does not have a copy of the summary in question. Nor is there any indication that this office ever received a copy. It is to be noted that steps are being taken to secure from the Army a copy of this summary.

A fifth question is what is the reason for our San Francisco Office sending to the Bureau on 12/9/60 an airtel listing the inaccuracies in the film "Operation Abolition." (The San Francisco airtel dated 12/9/60 was prepared for the Bureau's information only and contained no statements indicating further dissemination was contemplated.) The answer is that following an editorial appearing in the 11/26/60 issue of the "Washington Post" which was critical of the film the Bureau inquired of our San Francisco Office whether or not the criticism by the "Post" was justified. It is to be noted at this point that following the receipt of the San Francisco airtel of 12/9/60 which contained a list of the inaccuracies in the film the Bureau then sent instructions to the field (SAC Letter 60-57 to which reference has already been made) requesting all offices not to comment about the film other than to say that it was sponsored and distributed by the HCUA and the FBI had no connection with its preparation.

#### Preventative Action

This Division has given this most unfortunate matter very careful and exacting thoughts. The following preventative steps have already been or are being taken.

Memorandum to Mr. Belmont

Re: STENNES SUBCOMMITTEE OF  
SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE  
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF FOR INTELLIGENCE  
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
INQUIRY CONCERNING FBI CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL

1. A letter to all field offices has been prepared, approved and sent reminding the field again that it must carefully evaluate information disseminated to intelligence or other Government agencies at the local level to insure that the material can be sent without prior Bureau approval and that it is of such a nature as not to prove embarrassing to the Bureau and that Bureau approval must be sought in the event the dissemination involves matters which are the subject of nationwide newspaper controversies or are of major importance.

2. I am going to make a special point to take up with all SACs and Assistant SACs when they come to the SOG their responsibility for handling local dissemination to intelligence and other Government agencies. I will remind them clearly of what happened in this regrettable incident and outline to them the preventative steps which they must keep in mind. First and foremost, of course, will be to insist they follow Bureau instructions already issued. These instructions will be also included in my conferences with newly designated SACs and Assistant SACs.

3. I am arranging to hold conferences with and again pass on instructions to all Supervisors, Unit Chiefs and Section Chiefs in this Division for the purpose of directly communicating to them the great need to be alert daily to material which of its very nature should be called to the attention of the Director immediately when it arrives in this Division. As you know this is a constantly recurring problem and faces our supervisors on a daily basis. They must make a judgment on every piece of mail they receive in order to determine whether it should be brought immediately to the Director's attention if he has not already seen it.

*(Army Intelligence)*

4. Another question is why wasn't the Army letter time stamped into the Bureau. The piece of mail in question was received by the Liaison supervisor in the offices of ACSI and he immediately entered the date and time received, the name of the officer from whom it was received and his initials in order to record its actual receipt. In view of the nature of the Army request, he proceeded immediately to the Bureau to get the piece of mail handled. Explicit instructions have been given that in the future all mail regardless of any handwritten receipt notations will also be time stamped in when such mail is received in the Bureau.

*This must be done*

*It should be done always  
new done. No other other  
Division here is failing to do so. X*

Memorandum to Mr. Belmont

RE: STENNIS SUBCOMMITTEE OF  
SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE  
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF FOR INTELLIGENCE  
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
INQUIRY CONCERNING CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL

Disciplinary Action

Relating to the Field

1. San Francisco Office advises that Security Supervisor [ ] was in attendance at the weekly intelligence conference when SAC Auerbach passed on to the members of this conference the unauthorized material which has caused this trouble. In connection with the part he played at this conference Security Supervisor [ ] states as follows:

"When SAC Auerbach ordered me to prepare a memorandum for dissemination to the military concerning the inaccuracies in the film "Operation Abolition," I vigorously and continuously pointed out to him that this was an extremely delicate matter and that my advice was to receive Bureau permission before making this local dissemination. I continued my objections; however, he instructed that the memorandum be prepared which was done. At the time the request was made for this information, when ordered by former SAC Auerbach to prepare this memorandum and at the time of delivery, I strongly urged and recommended that he clear the matter with the Bureau but he did not do so."

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In view of the above, it is evident that Security Supervisor [ ] is not culpable and no disciplinary action is being recommended in his case. [ ] SAC. Frank Price, has recommended against any disciplinary action for [ ]

2. It is clearly obvious that Mr. Richard D. Auerbach, former SAC, is deliberately guilty of a most flagrant violation of Bureau instructions, the result of which has caused this Bureau great embarrassment and severe difficulties in various ways. In view of this it is recommended that a copy of this memorandum be placed in the file of former SAC Auerbach for future reference.

Memorandum to Mr. Belmont  
RE: STENNIS SUBCOMMITTEE OF  
SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE  
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF FOR INTELLIGENCE  
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
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Relating to SOG

As we know, expedite action was taken when this material was received at the Bureau but the developments which followed clearly proved that expedite action is not sufficient by itself to bring about the desirable results. Also needed is alertness to all the implications of the problem and the proper coordination among all those involved. This Division recognizes the fact that it failed the Director in this particular instance and it regrets this keenly and as indicated in this memorandum every step available to us has been and is being taken to prevent a recurrence of such a situation. Despite this the following recommendations are made.

1. It is recommended that Supervisor William G. Shaw be given a letter of censure for failure to prepare a cogent and adequate memorandum and for not highlighting in the memorandum the deadline of February 6 which had been set.

2. It is recommended that a letter of censure be given to Section Chief Fred J. Baumgardner, the Section Chief responsible for the handling of this matter and directing the performance of Supervisor Shaw.

3. It is recommended that a letter of censure be given to Inspector Joseph A. Sizoo in view of his overall supervisory responsibilities of the Section handling this particular memorandum.

4. It is recommended that I be given a letter of censure because I have the responsibility for the overall proper functioning of this Division and in this instance it was found to be wanting.



RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

2-7-62

I certify that I have received the following Government property for official use:

~~returned~~

BUREAU BADGE #15 ✓ ✓

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BUREAU BADGE #136 ✓ ✓

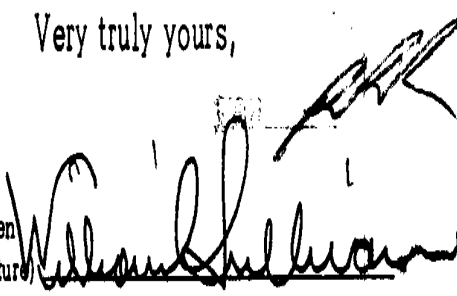
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The Government property which you hereby acknowledge is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care of it and returning it when its use has been completed. DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN ANY WAY.

Very truly yours,

(Written  
Signature)

(Typed  
Signature)

  
William C. Sullivan

May 8, 1962

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

MAY 8 3 24 PM '62  
FBI  
READING ROOM

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

It is a pleasure to commend you and, through you, Special Agent Joseph F. Condon for your invaluable participation in the instruction at the recently completed Command Level Administrative School conducted for the Metropolitan Police Department.

You and Mr. Condon were certainly very effective in presenting your material and your efforts contributed a great deal to the success which this school, the first of its kind in the area, realized. I want you both to know of my appreciation.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - Miss [ ] (Sent Direct)

1 - Personnel File of SA Joseph F. Condon

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Based on WFO airtel 5-2-62 and addendum Administrative Division, RRB:crt, 5-7-62.

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RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

3-12-62

I certify that I have received the following Government property for official use:

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One key for sixth floor lobby door. ✓  
One key for sixth floor messenger unit. ✓  
-One key for Room 643 Riddell Building. ✓

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Very truly yours,

PER W.C. Sullivan

The Government property which you hereby acknowledge is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care of it and returning it when its use has been completed. DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN ANY WAY.

(Written  
Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

(Typed  
Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

W.C. SULLIVAN

RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

March 12, 1962

I certify that I have received the following Government property for official use:

~~returned~~

6 Keys to Bureau Lobby Doors ✓  
Riddell Bldg.

1 Key RM. 643 Riddell Bldg. ✓

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The Government property which you hereby acknowledge is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care of it and returning it when its use has been completed. DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN ANY WAY.

Very truly yours, *W.C. Sullivan*

(Written  
Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

(Typed  
Signature) William C. Sullivan

RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

March 12, 1962

I certify that I have received the following Government property for official use:

~~REDACTED~~

Three U.S. Gov't Keys to Room 643, Riddell Building. ✓✓

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The Government property which you hereby acknowledge is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care of it and returning it when its use has been completed. DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN ANY WAY.

Very truly yours, W. C. Sullivan

(Written  
Signature)

(Typed  
Signature)

William C. Sullivan

RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

March 13, 1962

I certify that I have received the following Government property for official use:

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returned

Key

8 N - Riddell Building - 6th Floor. ✓✓

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The Government property which you hereby acknowledge is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care of it and returning it when its use has been completed. DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN ANY WAY.

Very truly yours, nan

(Written  
Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

(Typed  
Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

W. C. Sullivan

RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

3-23-62

I certify that I have received the following Government property for official use:

~~returned~~

6 Master Keys to Riddell Building ✓✓

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The Government property which you hereby acknowledge is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care of it and returning it when its use has been completed. DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN ANY WAY.

Very truly yours,

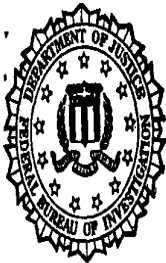
PER WCS

(Written  
Signature)

William C. Sullivan

(Typed  
Signature)

William C. Sullivan



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

RE: SA William C. Sullivan  
(Type or print plainly)

Dear Sir:

For inclusion in the fund to be paid to the designated beneficiary of any Special Agent of the FBI who has previously contributed to this fund and who dies from any cause except self-destruction while employed as a Special Agent, I am forwarding herewith (by CHECK - MONEY ORDER) the sum of \$10, payable to the Assistant Director, Administrative Division, FBI, to be included in said fund. Payment will be made for death by self-destruction after the Agent has been a member of the fund for a continuous period of two years. It is understood and agreed that the sum tendered herewith is a voluntary, gratuitous contribution to said fund which I understand is to be administered in the following manner.

The Director of the FBI will appoint a committee which shall consider all matters pertaining to the acquisition, safe keeping and expending of said fund, which committee will recommend appropriate action to the Director in pertinent matters. The Assistant Director of the Administrative Division of the FBI shall receive all contributions and account for same to the Director. Upon the death of any Special Agent who is a member of said fund the appointed committee will consider the case and submit a recommendation to the Director as to its conclusions. Appropriate instructions will then be issued to the Assistant Director of the Administrative Division, directing him to pay to the designated beneficiary the sum of \$10,000. The liability of the fund shall not under any circumstances exceed the amount of monies in the fund at the time any liability shall occur. The following person is designated as my beneficiary for FBI Agents' Insurance Fund:

Name	Relationship	Date
Marion L. Sullivan	Wife	2/23/62

Address  
2810 - 64th Avenue, Cheverly, Md.

The following person is designated as my beneficiary under the Chas. S. Ross Fund providing \$1500 death benefit to beneficiary of agents killed in the line of duty, other than travel accidents.

Name	Relationship	Date
Marion L. Sullivan	Wife	2/23/62

Address  
2810 - 64th Avenue, Cheverly, Md.

Very truly yours,

*William C. Sullivan*  
Special Agent



June 8, 1962

PERSONAL

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FBI  
READING ROOM

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

You and your subordinates in the Domestic Intelligence Division were derelict in failing to promptly advise the Administrative Division of the recent death of the mother of [redacted] in order that I could express my sympathy without delay to this loyal employee of many years of service. There was no justification for the atrocious fashion in which this matter was handled.

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You will be expected to insure that there are no further instances of such a delinquency on your part and that any similar situations are taken care of in the best interests of the Bureau and the employees concerned.

Very truly yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover  
Director

1 - Mr. Belmont (Personal Attention)

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Belmont \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
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1 - Domestic Intelligence Division Personnel File

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Based on memo, N. P. Callahan to Mr. Mohr, 6-7-62, NPC:crt

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: 6-7-62

FROM : N. P. Callahan

SUBJECT: Secretary-Stenographer  
Domestic Intelligence Division

Tolson	_____
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Callahan	_____
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Mr. Tolson's Office has asked why the letter to Miss  expressing the Director's sympathy over the death of her mother was handled so routinely, it being noted that Miss  mother died on Sunday, 6-3-62, but the proper notification to the Administrative Division was not prepared until 6-5-62, and the letter of condolence was dated 6-6-62. The letter to Miss  should have been gotten out more promptly and should have been addressed to her at her home rather than at the Bureau. Finally, the memorandum of the Domestic Intelligence Division reporting the death was not time stamped in the Administrative Division.

Assistant Director Sullivan has advised that he and Mr. Sizoo received advice on the death of Miss  mother on Sunday afternoon. They realized Tuesday morning that proper action had not been taken and immediately prepared a communication which was sent by special messenger to the Administrative Division about noon Tuesday in order that a letter of sympathy could be prepared.

He had been following on the matter of the illness of employee's mother for many months and since the death he, Inspector Sizoo and others in the division have maintained contact with her to furnish any needed assistance. The division was well represented at the funeral, several floral arrangements were sent by division officials and other employees and a contribution was made to a memorial fund in honor of Miss  mother. In addition, Mr. Sullivan visited Miss  at her home on 6-5-62 to make certain that funeral and other arrangements were completed.

Mr. Sullivan is taking up with all supervisory personnel in his division the necessity of expeditiously notifying the Administrative Division of matters of this kind in order that there may be no recurrence of such a delinquency.

The memorandum was not handled by the Administrative Division Mail Room where it would normally have been time stamped since it was brought by special messenger to the Leave Unit. This omission was not noted and corrected and, therefore, the exact time of the receipt of the memorandum in the Leave Unit is not known although it was after noon. Telephonic inquiry was made by an employee of the Leave Unit with the Domestic Intelligence Division to determine when Miss  was expected back to work and it was learned she planned to return on 6-7-62. A letter of condolence was prepared and sent through on the afternoon of 6-5-62 under date of 6-6-62. Since the letter was so dated and therefore would not normally be delivered by the Post Office until the following day if sent to her home it was directed to her at the Bureau.

NPC:crt (3)

1 - Mr. C. R. Davidson (Sent Direct)

JUN 18 1962

Memorandum to Mr. Mohr

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Re:

To preclude a recurrence of this type, instructions have been issued that in every case of the death in the immediate family of an employee of over 20 years of service Personnel Officer C. R. Davidson or I are to be consulted if a letter of condolence is not to be sent through under the date of its receipt in the division.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

(1) Both Messrs. Sullivan and Sizoo were derelict in this instance in not immediately notifying us of the death of Miss  mother so that we could have prepared a letter for the Director's signature on the 4th. I recommend that they be censured.

(2) The failure of the Administrative Division to handle this matter more expeditiously rests with Mr. Davidson and myself. There was a failure on the part of the employees to seek guidance in this instance and I therefore recommend that Mr. Davidson and I be censured.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : MR. CALLAHAN

DATE: 6/6/62

FROM :

SUBJECT:

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Belmont \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
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Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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Please ascertain why this matter was so routinely handled. It is noted that Miss [ ] mother passed away on Sunday, June 3, yet proper notification to the Administrative Division was not prepared until June 5, and the letter did not go through until June 6. Furthermore, the notification of death was not stamped in to your Division. Miss [ ] has over 30 years of Bureau service and it certainly seems we could have gotten a letter out to her more promptly, and it should have been addressed to her at her home, rather than the office.

ERC:DSS

*Memo Callahan  
to Mr. [ ] 6/17/62  
MR3: [ ]*

*W.C. Sullivan  
N.P. Callahan  
J.H. [ ]  
C.R. Davidson*

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JUN 19 1962

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: June 6, 1962

FROM : W. C. Sullivan

SUBJECT:

[REDACTED]  
SECRETARY (STENO) GS-9  
DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

Tolson	_____
Belmont	_____
Mohr	_____
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I have been asked to explain why advice concerning the death of Miss [REDACTED] mother, Mrs. Mary E. Lewis, was not sent through channels more expeditiously.

There is no question that a communication concerning this matter should have been prepared the first thing Monday morning. Miss [REDACTED] called me at home Sunday afternoon and also called Mr. J. A. Sizoo. We realized Tuesday morning that proper action had not been taken and immediately prepared a communication which was sent by special messenger to the Administrative Division about noon Tuesday in order that a letter of sympathy could be prepared.

It is noted we have been following the illness of Miss [REDACTED] mother very closely for many months and since her mother's death have been in constant contact with her to make available any assistance needed. Yesterday I visited Miss [REDACTED] at her home personally to make certain that funeral and other arrangements were completed. It might also be stated that this Division was well represented at the funeral service this morning which was held at the Clarendon Presbyterian Church. The Division made a contribution to a Memorial Fund in honor of Miss [REDACTED] mother at the Clarendon Presbyterian Church, and several bouquets of flowers were sent on a personal basis by officials and other personnel of the Division.

We sincerely regret that a memorandum concerning the death of Miss [REDACTED] mother was not sent through more expeditiously. I am taking this matter up with all supervisory personnel, pointing out the necessity for expeditiously handling matters of this kind in order that a delay of this type will not happen in this Division again.

JAS:lm1

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Callahan
- 1 - Mr. C. Ray Davidson
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan

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JUN 18 1962

April 25, 1962

PERSONAL

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Bill:

I am pleased to inform you that you have received an Outstanding performance rating covering your services from April 1, 1961, to March 31, 1962, which has been approved by the Efficiency Awards Committee of the Department. There is enclosed a copy of this rating which you may retain.

It is also my pleasure to advise you that in recognition of your invaluable services I have approved an incentive award for you. There is enclosed a check in the amount of \$410.00, which represents an award of \$500.00 less withholding tax. The loyal and dedicated manner in which you have carried out your heavy responsibilities during the past year has certainly merited this award. I do not want the occasion to pass without expressing to you my sincere congratulations.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 5

APR 26 1962

Enclosures (2)

1 - Miss [redacted] (Sent Direct)

LRH:cmt

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NOTE: Salutation per file.

Award #834-62

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

**REPORT OF PERFORMANCE RATING**

Name of Employee: WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN

Where Assigned: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION  
(Division) (Section, Unit)

Official Position Title: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

Rating Period: from APRIL 1, 1961 to MARCH 31, 1962

ADJECTIVE RATING: OUTSTANDING Employee's Initials \_\_\_\_\_  
Outstanding, Excellent, Satisfactory, Unsatisfactory

Rated by:	<u><i>Ch. Belmont</i></u>	<u>Assistant to the Director</u>	<u>4-2-62</u>
	Signature	Title	Date
Reviewed by:	<u><i>Clyde A. Tolson</i></u>	<u>Associate Director</u>	<u>4-2-62</u>
	Signature	Title	Date
Rating Approved by:	<u><i>J. Edgar Hoover</i></u>	<u>Director</u>	<u>4-2-62</u>
	Signature	Title	Date

TYPE OF REPORT

☒ Official  
☒ Annual

☐ Administrative  
☐ 60-Day  
☐ 90-Day  
☐ Transfer  
☐ Separation from Service  
☐ Special

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**WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN  
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR  
DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION  
ENTERED ON DUTY AUGUST 4, 1941**

During the first sixty days of this rating period Mr. Sullivan occupied the position of Chief Inspector and had direct supervision over the activities of the Central Research Section. He was designated Assistant Director of the Domestic Intelligence Division on June 2, 1961, wherein he is responsible for direction of the Bureau's investigation of all matters relating to Internal Security, Subversive Controls, Nationalities Intelligence, Espionage and Counterespionage, as well as supervision of Domestic and Foreign Liaison activities. He has discharged his numerous and varied duties in a superior manner and is most assuredly deserving of an Outstanding annual performance rating for the period April 1, 1961, through March 31, 1962.

Mr. Sullivan has willingly assumed and capably discharged his greatly increased and diverse responsibilities and he is eminently qualified for his present position. He approaches his work aggressively and positively in order to serve the Bureau's best interests. He is able to review and analyze quickly the numerous problems involved in matters under his direction and to suggest solutions which conform to policy and intelligently meet the issue. He has the capacity to deal effectively with personnel, setting forth clearly and succinctly the aims of assignments, providing guide lines for completion and inculcating enthusiasm for work among his associates. His acute awareness of the constantly changing international situation and his judicious handling of his executive duties have greatly enhanced the work of the Bureau.

In addition, Mr. Sullivan is an extremely accomplished lecturer and speaker and has appeared before a great many distinguished groups and made an outstanding impression as a recognized authority on all facets of communism. In his



appearances before public and classified audiences, Mr. Sullivan has shown a detailed and intimate knowledge of communism from a theoretical and practical standpoint. His audiences have shown great admiration and respect for his factual and objective presentations which clearly show the menace of communism without resorting to half-truths and hysteria characteristic of many "professional anti-communists." He has ably countered many unfounded or vague charges made against the Bureau during open question periods or in personal contacts and he has been able to continually sell these people on the Bureau.

The immense success he has had in his contacts with leading educators, clergymen, military men and professional people is attributable to Mr. Sullivan's unusual talents and distinct personality, as well as his hard-driving, enthusiastic, loyal and forward thinking approach to the advancement of the Bureau's interests. His over-all splendid performance has certainly earned for him this Outstanding performance rating.

Mr. Tolson

April 5, 1962

Mr. Mohr

ALEX ROSEN  
WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN  
CARTHA D. DE LOACH  
Assistant Directors

### OUTSTANDING ANNUAL PERFORMANCE RATINGS

There are attached for approval annual ratings for Messrs. Rosen, Sullivan and DeLoach, covering the period from April 1, 1961, through March 31, 1962, rating their services as Outstanding. I have signed the rating of Mr. DeLoach and Mr. Belmont has signed the ratings of Messrs. Rosen and Sullivan as the rating official.

In the event you approve these ratings, I respectfully request that you sign both the original and copy of each of them as the Reviewing Official and the Director sign both the original and copy of each of them as the Approving Official. Thereafter they must be submitted to Deputy Attorney General Byron R. White in the Department for approval by the Efficiency Awards Committee. Upon approval of these ratings by the Efficiency Awards Committee, they will be returned to the Bureau and Messrs. Rosen, Sullivan and DeLoach will be furnished copies of their ratings. They will also be entitled to cash incentive awards, under the provisions of the Incentive Awards Plan. You will recall that you have authorization under delegation from the Attorney General to approve such awards up to \$500, which is the customary amount that has been approved for Assistant Directors and above. For officials below the level of Assistant Director, who are in Grade GS 16 or above, it has been customary to approve awards of \$400. For those below Grade GS 16, awards of \$300 have been approved.

Should you agree with the foregoing, these ratings will be forwarded to the Department for approval at such time as the Outstanding ratings on the Special Agents in Charge have been prepared and approved in the Bureau. When these ratings have been approved by the Department, necessary checks will be drawn and letters prepared for the Director's signature.

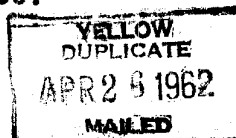
#### RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that you, as Reviewing Official, and the Director, as Approving Official, sign the original and copy of the attached Outstanding performance ratings for Messrs. Rosen, Sullivan and DeLoach and that upon approval of these ratings each be approved for an incentive award of \$500.

Enclosures

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Personnel File of Mr. William C. Sullivan  
1 - Personnel File of Mr. Cartha D. DeLoach



RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

March 12, 1962

I certify that I have received the following Government property for official use:

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Key to the 6th floor - Riddell Building from Donald E. Moore ✓

READ

The Government property which you hereby acknowledge is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care of it and returning it when its use has been completed. DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN ANY WAY.

Very truly yours

(Written  
Signature)

(Typed  
Signature)

W. C. SULLIVAN

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Mr. Byron R. White  
Deputy Attorney General

April 12, 1962

Director, FBI

**OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE RATINGS**  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

There are enclosed the annual performance ratings on the below-listed employees, covering the period from April 1, 1961, through March 31, 1962, wherein they have been given the adjective rating of Outstanding.

Alan H. Belmont  
Bernard C. Brown  
Joseph J. Casper  
Ivan W. Conrad  
Cartha D. DeLoach  
Courtney A. Evans

W. Mark Felt  
Harvey G. Foster  
[REDACTED]  
James H. Gale  
Edward E. Hargett  
[REDACTED]  
Leo L. Laughlin

Edmund D. Mason  
James E. Milnes  
Frank L. Price  
Alex Rosen  
J. Gordon Shanklin  
William C. Sullivan

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In accordance with existing requirements, these ratings are transmitted for final approval by the Efficiency Awards Committee of the Department. I would appreciate it if you would promptly advise me when these ratings have been approved, in order that they can be considered official. To facilitate such processing, my signature on the ratings will also serve as approval in my capacity as a member of the Efficiency Awards Committee.

Enclosures (19)

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Copies prepared and attached for personnel files of the above.

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**Memorandum**

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: July 7, 1962

FROM : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

SUBJECT: DR. ROBERT SOBLE  
ESPIONAGE - RUSSIA

1 - Mr. Belmont  
 1 - Mr. J. P. Mohr  
 1 - Mr. N. P. Callahan  
 1 - Mr. Sullivan

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The Director has inquired whether or not he was consulted on the decision not to surveil Dr. Robert Soble. He was not consulted. The essential reason for not doing this, which turned out to be a poor one, was that Soble was known to be a dying man and any surveillance of him would greatly embarrass the Bureau and subject us to repeated criticism by unfriendly press men, and possibly some friendly press men.

As it turned out, we were wrong, for the Director should have been consulted. There is now no sound excuse for not doing this and none is being offered.

Steps have been taken to prevent a recurrence of this in the future through instructions given to all Section Chiefs and supervisors. Further, to drive the point home more vigorously, letters of censure are being recommended as set forth below.

**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

1. That I be censured for my part in the over-all supervision of this matter.

2. That Inspector D. E. Moore be censured for the same reason.

3. That Section Chief William A. Branigan be censured for not following this situation more closely with his supervisors.

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RE: DR. ROBERT SOBLE

4. That Supervisor [redacted] be censured for not following and recognizing the need to prepare a memorandum giving the Director an opportunity to pass judgment on this matter.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : MR. MOHR *9/22/62*

DATE: July 6, 1962

FROM : W. S. TAVEL *5/*

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SUBJECT: ALLEGATIONS OF POSSIBLE PERSONNEL CONFLICTS  
 IN TRAINING AND INSPECTION DIVISION

By memorandum 7-3-62 Mr. Clayton stated he had made an inquiry of Assistant Director Sullivan concerning any knowledge Mr. Sullivan might have had concerning the retirement intentions of SA Roy E. Wood, Supervisor in Charge, National Academy Unit, Training and Inspection Division. Mr. Clayton stated Mr. Sullivan advised him that Wood had told Mr. Sullivan that he was retiring because of conflicts with Inspector H. L. Edwards, in charge of the Training Section of the Training and Inspection Division. He also stated Sullivan advised that according to Wood he had been unable to get certain recommendations past Mr. Edwards and had become completely frustrated. Mr. Clayton also stated Sullivan advised him that one of his assistants had indicated to him that former Inspector Rogers had some difficulty with Inspector Edwards and that it was further Sullivan's understanding that SA [ ] who had just requested retirement, also indicated some conflict with Inspector Edwards.

Clayton stated Mr. Sullivan later called him at home, advising that he had made some inquiries, had no proof to back up the foregoing information, and that the individuals involved would deny passing on the information on the basis that they had been completely misunderstood. Mr. Clayton recommended that I run these allegations down to see if there was any truth in them and the Director stated, "Yes as to Wood and [ ]"

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MR. SULLIVAN'S STATEMENT:

Mr. Sullivan submitted a statement to me on July 5 in which he says that Mr. Clayton called at Mr. Tolson's request wanting to be informed what he knew concerning the recent retirement of SA Roy E. Wood and whether Mr. Sullivan had any reason to believe Wood did not intend to remain with the Bureau. Sullivan states he told Clayton that Wood had never indicated to him in any way that he intended to retire but had, on the contrary, said that he intended to remain in the Bureau.

In his statement to me of July 5, Sullivan said that on learning of Wood's retirement he, Sullivan, discussed this with Wood, who told him that he had a domestic health problem and discussed his, Wood's, disappointment at not being

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in Training and Inspection Division

able to move ahead rapidly enough to accomplish what he had hoped to as one in charge of the National Academy. Sullivan stated that Wood had advised that he, Wood, thought a number of things could be done to improve the Academy but that he was unable to get underway to his satisfaction, mentioning specifically (1) the unavailability of his Section Chief for discussion of work and decision-making; (2) inability to effect the changes he thought should be made; and (3) delay.

Sullivan stated that desiring to handle the matter discreetly, he discussed it <sup>only</sup> with an assistant to determine if he had any knowledge of Wood's retirement plans <sup>and</sup> that the assistant mentioned that he had received the impression that Mr. Rogers' retirement may have been hastened by working conditions in the section. The assistant referred to is Inspector J. A. Sizoo, Number One Man of Mr. Sullivan's division whose statement will be set out hereinafter.

Mr. Sullivan stated that this reference to Rogers called to mind that some person had raised a question over the short notice given by [ ] on his retirement, the implication being he was dissatisfied. Mr. Sullivan states he mentioned this to Mr. Clayton, noting that it was but a rumor which he, Sullivan, did not believe to have any value at all. [ ] requested retirement by letter 6-27-62 asking that it be effective on 7-9-62.) Mr. Sullivan advised me that he could not recall the identity of the person whom he stated had raised the question over the short notice given by [ ] b6

Mr. Sullivan stated that he recontacted Mr. Wood to get more specifics, at which time Mr. Wood restated what he had previously told Sullivan and discussed in some detail his domestic health problem. According to Sullivan, Wood said it would be a misunderstanding to conclude he retired because of official dissatisfaction, that is, unavailability of the Section Chief, inability to effect changes, or delay. According to Sullivan, Wood stated that the decisive factor in his retirement was the domestic situation but, naturally, the official situation had a bearing on the decision. Mr. Sullivan stated Wood repeated it would be a misunderstanding to conclude that he retired because of dissatisfaction. Mr. Sullivan states he called Mr. Clayton the next morning and so advised him, also telling him that the other two matters regarding Rogers and [ ] were unproven and, therefore, in his, Sullivan's, opinion of no value at all.



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Mr. Sullivan states that Wood made unqualified statements to him, both before and after his appointment to his position on the National Academy Desk, that he had no intentions of retiring from the Bureau; felt the Director had been very good to him, mentioning consideration given when his daughter was ill; that he was extremely interested in training law enforcement officers; that the appointment to handle the National Academy was like a dream come true; and that he believed he could make a substantial contribution to improving the Academy.

FORMER INSPECTOR J. S. ROGERS:

With regard to Mr. Sullivan's statement that an assistant had mentioned that he received the impression that Mr. Rogers' retirement may have been hastened by working conditions in the section (Inspector Rogers was in charge of the National Academy Desk in the Training Section, Training and Inspection Division), Inspector J. A. Sizoo, Mr. Sullivan's Number One Man, states he recalls that Mr. Sullivan inquired some days ago whether he, Sizoo, had any knowledge that Wood actually contemplated retirement when he was recommended by the Domestic Intelligence Division as qualified and available for the position then being vacated by Inspector Rogers. Mr. Sizoo states he had no such information and so indicated. (SA Wood was under Mr. Sizoo's supervision while assigned to the Domestic Intelligence Division prior to his assignment to the National Academy Desk in the Training and Inspection Division.)

Mr. Sizoo states, as he recalls, that Rogers' retirement was also mentioned in passing but he does not now recall exactly what was said since it was not germane to the issue of the inquiry which Mr. Sullivan had initiated. Sizoo states that any discussion of Rogers' retirement was of a passing nature and any comment he made probably was in answer to a question whether or not Rogers' retirement was motivated by dissatisfaction. Mr. Sizoo states he may have indicated this as a possibility but that he has no specific information concerning the reason for Rogers' action in this connection. He states that he discussed this matter with Mr. Sullivan at his, Sullivan's, specific request and has not discussed this or similar matters with others.

Inspector H. L. Edwards states that to the best of his knowledge and recollection, which he thinks are accurate, he has never had any dealings with former Inspector J. S. Rogers which provided any evidence that there existed any basic conflict of personality between Inspector Rogers and himself.

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In view of the Director's instructions that I run down the allegations as to Wood and [ ] and since Inspector Rogers is no longer in the Bureau, he was not interviewed. b6

SPECIAL AGENT ROY E. WOOD:

SA Wood states that in his letter to the Director dated 6-29-62 requesting retirement he advised the Director that the reason for the request was based on a family situation involving the health of his wife and her family. He later received a call from Mr. Sullivan, stated Sullivan was surprised and disappointed that Wood had found it necessary to ask for retirement, and inquiring as to his reasons. Sullivan also asked if when Wood had been placed as Supervisor of the National Academy Desk he had any intention of retiring and Wood advised him in the negative. SA Wood believes that Sullivan inquired if there were any other reasons. Wood said he answered that his request for retirement was based on personal reasons. He states Sullivan then asked if it were not true that he, Wood, had <sup>expressed</sup> on occasions the belief that changes could be made in the National Academy or in police training to make the work more effective and Wood answered yes and that he still thought this was true and that he was very much disappointed in having to retire before such changes had been put into effect. He mentioned to Sullivan that he had compiled shortly after the National Academy Graduation on June 6 a rough draft of thoughts he had as to the National Academy curriculum but does not recall whether he told Sullivan that he had given this memorandum to Mr. Malone who in turn gave it to Mr. Edwards.

Wood stated he was not certain that he used the phrase that he was frustrated but did indicate to Sullivan that the National Academy Desk was difficult for the following reasons: (1) that he was new on the desk and had had little or no orientation by Inspector Rogers (Wood was assigned to the desk only a few days before Rogers left); (2) that [ ] the clerical assistant on the desk, who is knowledgeable as to the policies and procedures, has been undergoing an emotional strain due to the serious illness of a roommate; and (3) that SA [ ] assigned to assist on the desk, was relatively inexperienced in the work and was being utilized as a lecturer much of his time for both National Academy and New Agents' Classes. He had also been assigned for some period on a special project for Mr. Edwards. b6

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Wood advised me that there had never been a refusal or declination on the part of Mr. Edwards to see him concerning any matter but that Edwards, for the greater portion of the early period of time Wood was assigned to the desk, was engaged on committee work in connection with the Agency for International Development and was out of the building and, therefore, it was difficult for Wood to contact or consult with him.

Wood advised me that in connection with the rough draft referred to above that he had asked Mr. Edwards on at least one occasion if he had had an opportunity to read it and was told Mr. Edwards intended to do so immediately. On July 2 or 3 Mr. Edwards, in Wood's presence, gave the memorandum to SA [ ] b6 [ ] stating then that he, Edwards, had read it; there were several good thoughts in it; others would require consideration and study; that he, Edwards, had made marginal notes; and requested [ ] to study and make his comments for the benefit of the Curriculum Committee which was being set up to study the curriculum of the National Academy. Wood stated Mr. Edwards did not discuss the contents of the memorandum with him.

Wood states the rough draft resulted from a request by Mr. Malone to furnish him any thoughts as to improvements in the National Academy and Wood stated it was not intended as a formal request for a change in the curriculum or conduct of the National Academy/<sup>but</sup> to be used primarily in the study of the curriculum.

Wood stated during the recent recheck inspection he had not mentioned this rough draft since he felt it had been submitted to the proper individual and was only for the purpose of study by the Curriculum Committee, which committee had been approved by the Director. He did not feel there was any improper delay on the part of Mr. Edwards in discussion of the rough draft and Wood felt that when the Curriculum Committee met he could then refer to that memorandum and have all points resolved to his satisfaction. He was a member of this committee and the first meeting to organize the committee was last week with a meeting scheduled for this week to take up the study of the curriculum for the first time.

Wood states that he would not have used the word "conflict" with reference to Mr. Edwards since he has had no conflict with Mr. Edwards and has no recollection of anything he may have said to Mr. Sullivan that may have given an indication of conflict between Mr. Edwards and Wood. Wood reiterated to me that

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his request to retire was solely based on family circumstances relating to the health of his wife and her mother, both of whom may have cancer, and was not prompted by any other circumstances. He further states that he was not aware of the critical nature of the health problems of his wife and her mother at the time he was assigned as Supervisor of the National Academy Desk and at that time he had no intention of asking to retire.

Inspector Edwards states that to the best of his knowledge and recollection, which he feels are accurate, he has never had any dealings with SA Wood which provided any evidence that there existed any basic conflict of personality between Wood and himself. He states he is familiar with the rough draft referred to by SA Wood, that it was sent to Edwards by Mr. Malone by routing slip dated 6-14-62 on which Mr. Malone requested that Wood's ideas be studied thoroughly by the proposed Curriculum Committee. Edwards states he had suggested the formation of such a committee and that Mr. Mohr indicated agreement and requested a memorandum be prepared. Edwards states that on June 18, 19, and 20 Mr. Malone was absent and he was on his desk; also during this period the semiannual Field Inspectors' Conference was being held and the division was undergoing a recheck inspection as well as having a number of Director's specials to handle. Edwards states he worked with Wood during this period and told Wood that he proposed setting up a Curriculum Committee for the National Academy and asked Wood to canvass each division for recommendations for desired representatives. At this time Wood asked if Edwards had had the opportunity to review the rough draft and Edwards stated he had not but would get to it promptly. The memorandum proposing the Curriculum Committee was dated Thursday, 6-21-62, the day Mr. Malone returned to the city, and Edwards states Wood was present when Edwards dictated the memorandum. It was approved by the Director and received again in the Training and Inspection Division on Monday, 6-25-62. Edwards states he immediately told Wood of the approval and advised Wood that he, Edwards, had reviewed the draft, thought some ideas were good, and, pursuant to Mr. Malone's instructions, he would make sure the Curriculum Committee considered them. Edwards states he had asked Wood if he desired to act as chairman of the committee or, if he didn't, Mr. Edwards intended to propose [redacted] as chairman. Edwards states Wood preferred [redacted] in view of the pressure of work Wood had to do in connection with the coming National Academy session but Edwards advised Wood that he would be expected to actively participate as a member of the Curriculum Committee.

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The first meeting of the committee was Thursday, 6-28-62. Mr. Wood was present and Edwards states he specifically asked Wood near the end of the meeting whether he had any ideas, suggestions, observations, or instructions for the committee and that Wood stated he had none at that time. Wood did not mention his draft or the ideas contained therein at this meeting, which was devoted mainly to orienting the committee members as to research necessary on their part to prepare for expected foreign National Academy participants.

Mr. Edwards states that with regard to Wood's statement that he, Edwards, was absent from the office on committee work for a substantial portion of the time while Wood was assigned to the National Academy Desk that this is true and that from approximately 4/27/62, when Rogers' ceased duty, to June 15, 1962, Edwards states he was engaged practically full time as a member of the Technical Subcommittee looking into the Foreign Police Assistance Program, which assignment had been approved by the Director. He states during his absence arrangements had been made with Mr. Malone to see that the work of the Training Section did go on and that from regular contacts Edwards had with Malone he knows that Malone was personally in close touch with Mr. Wood. He feels that it would have been impossible for Mr. Wood to have handled all the details in connection with the National Academy Graduation unless he had had almost daily guidance.

Edwards states that [ ] did have a heavy schedule, as did employees of the entire division; that [ ] regular responsibilities included a substantial amount of lecture work as well as being alternate to other supervisors on other administrative responsibilities, but Edwards states Wood never indicated [ ] assignments were interfering with proper supervision of the National Academy Desk. b6 Edwards states the special assignment given [ ] consisted of a file review and research project concerning foreign police systems and the aid given by the Bureau to foreign police, which information was essential for Mr. Edwards' use with the Technical Subcommittee report on which there was a deadline. Two other Agents were assigned with [ ] and Edwards estimates the total work did not exceed three days and that, as he recalls, much of the work was done at night and on weekends during the latter part of May.

Edwards emphasizes that he has consistently stressed to Wood that his ideas for improvement of the National Academy program would be most welcome, that being a newcomer would enable him to give the work a fresh look, that the

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National Academy is important to the Director, and that any program can and should be improved and kept up to date. Edwards feels the record will bear out that in his supervision of various programs in the Training Section he has been on the side of progressive improvement rather than taking a reactionary viewpoint.

SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED]

SA [REDACTED] advised me that there has not been, and is not now, a conflict between Edwards and himself and that he has gotten along fine with Edwards and there has not been any occasion for harsh words between them on any subject.

He stated that he could think of but one item which might have caused any such impression; namely, a letter of censure received by [REDACTED] following an inspection of the Training Division conducted by Edwards in the Summer of 1959. [REDACTED] stated he was then handling the desk of former Assistant Director Tamm, who was away at a police conference and in the absence of former Inspector [REDACTED] who was in the hospital. Several members of the division were on leave and he was handling the mail, scheduling classes, operating the Suggestion Desk, and his time was fully occupied.

A suggestion had been submitted that the Bureau look into a rapid reading course as a possible addition to Bureau training. He had made several inquiries concerning the course and had submitted a memorandum showing these inquiries were made and stating the man necessary to contact was out of the city and would be contacted on his return. The Inspectors looked into the matter and [REDACTED] received a call at home while on leave from one of the Inspector's Aides requesting to know what [REDACTED] had done concerning the suggestion. [REDACTED] referred him to the above-mentioned memorandum. On returning from leave, [REDACTED] found a letter of censure indicating he had delayed in handling the matter and it was necessary for the Inspector to point out to him various ways in which the issue could be resolved. [REDACTED] felt at that time the latter statement was not correct as no one had actually discussed with him any suggestions for handling the matter but, feeling Mr. Edwards was acting on the basis of information from one of his aides rather than something Edwards had personally handled, he did not make an issue of it and promptly forgot it. [REDACTED] could think of no other situation which could possibly be interpreted to indicate an existence of conflict between Edwards and himself and could not think of any

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statement which he had made that could be correctly interpreted as critical of Edwards or indicating an existence of conflict between the two. [ ] states his reason for retiring had nothing to do with his relationship with Edwards or anyone in the FBI but was based solely on a personal decision and his desire to complete his work toward a Doctor of Philosophy degree and a life-long ambition to teach in a university, necessitating his finding employment which would not take so much of his time and permit him to devote himself to his studies.

Mr. Edwards stated to the best of his knowledge he had never had any dealings with SA [ ] which provided any evidence there existed any basic conflict of personality between [ ] and himself. b6

He stated with reference to the letter of censure mentioned by [ ] that the handling of this suggestion was the subject of an administrative write-up in his inspection of the Training and Inspection Division in 1959; the Inspector's Aide who handled the matter was former Special Agent [ ] and the write-up given to the division for their reply pointed out in considerable detail the Inspector's views concerning the inadequate handling of the matter by [ ] and suggested a number of specific steps which the Inspector felt should have been taken. The reply by the Training and Inspection Division, in the form of an addendum from former Assistant Director Tamm and bearing his personal initials as approving it, in substance indicated that the division would carry out the steps suggested by the Inspector. Mr. Edwards feels he had a right to draw the conclusions which formed the basis for the letter of censure and it was up to the Training and Inspection Division as to whether they deemed it necessary to contact [ ] at that time and discuss the points raised or to answer without consulting him. Their answer does not indicate whether they consulted him but Mr. Edwards feels he had the right to assume the division was speaking for [ ] in submitting the addendum. Edwards states [ ] never alluded to this matter in discussion with Edwards and he knew of no official complaint [ ] ever made concerning it until my interview with him on 7-5-62. Edwards states he observed no evidence that this interfered in any way in his dealings or relations with [ ]

Edwards also states he is personally concerned that the Bureau has had to inquire into whether or not Rogers, Wood, or [ ] were motivated in retiring for reasons other than those expressed by them, but he is not concerned as to the existence of any evidence supporting a conflict because he is convinced that none exists.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : MR. MOHR

DATE: July 6, 1962

FROM : W. S. TAVEL

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SUBJECT: ALLEGATIONS OF POSSIBLE PERSONNEL  
 CONFLICTS IN TRAINING AND INSPECTION DIVISION

SYNOPSIS

There is set forth in the attached detailed memorandum and statements results of my inquiry into allegations that former Inspector J. S. Rogers and SA's Roy E. Wood and [ ] requested retirement because of difficulties with Inspector H. L. Edwards. Mr. [ ] in memorandum 7-3-62, stated he called Assistant Director Sullivan to determine if he had questioned SA Wood regarding retirement prior to Wood's assignment in charge of National Academy (NA) Desk. He states Sullivan said Wood assured him prior to this assignment he had no intention of retiring. Sullivan further advised [ ] that Wood had told him that he was retiring because of conflicts with Edwards, who is in charge of the Training Section of the Training and Inspection Division; that Wood had been unable to get certain recommendations past Edwards and had become completely frustrated. Mr. Sullivan also informed Mr. [ ] that one of Sullivan's assistants had indicated to Sullivan that former Inspector Rogers had some difficulty with Edwards and it was Sullivan's understanding that SA [ ] who recently submitted his retirement request, had also indicated some conflict with Edwards.

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Sullivan told [ ] the next morning that his inquiries reflected no proof of the foregoing and that persons involved would deny statements on basis they were misunderstood.

MR. SULLIVAN'S STATEMENT TO TAVEL:

Sullivan advised me on 7-5-62 he called Wood on learning of retirement request. Wood stated had domestic problem; was disappointed at not being able to move ahead rapidly enough to accomplish what he had hoped to as one in charge of NA; thought a number of things could be done to improve Academy, but was unable to get underway to his satisfaction, mentioning (1) unavailability of Section Chief for discussion of work and decision-making; (2) inability to effect the changes he thought should be made; and (3) delay.

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Memorandum W. S. Tavel to Mr. Mohr  
RE: Allegations of Possible Personnel Conflicts  
in Training and Inspection Division

Sullivan states he discussed matter only with Assistant (Inspector J. A. Sizoo, Number One Man of Sullivan's division and formerly Wood's superior) to determine if Sizoo had known of Wood's retirement plans. Sullivan states Sizoo mentioned he received impression Rogers' retirement may have been hastened by working conditions in Training Section. Sullivan also states he recalled someone, identity not recalled, had raised question of short notice of retirement given by SA [ ] implying dissatisfaction. Sullivan mentioned this to Clayton, noting it was but a rumor which he felt had no value. b6

Sullivan states on recontact Wood said it would be a misunderstanding to conclude he retired because of official dissatisfaction and decisive factor in Wood's retirement was domestic situation but official situation had bearing on decision. Sullivan then so advised Clayton, also stating matters of Rogers and [ ] were unproven and in Sullivan's opinion had no value.

INSPECTOR SIZOO'S STATEMENT:

Inspector Sizoo recalls that Sullivan asked him if he knew whether Wood contemplated retirement prior to assignment to NA desk. Sizoo stated he did not and recalls that Rogers' retirement was mentioned in passing but Sizoo cannot recall exactly what was said since it was not germane to inquiry initiated by Sullivan. Sizoo states any comment he made probably was in answer to a question whether or not Rogers' retirement was due to dissatisfaction and states he may have indicated this as a possibility but had no specific information concerning Rogers' reason for retirement. Sizoo states matter was discussed with Sullivan at latter's specific request and with no one else.

[ ] denies any conflict with Rogers. Rogers not interviewed.

SA ROY E. WOOD:

Wood advised me on 7-5 that after submitting retirement request on 6-29 he received call from Sullivan expressing surprise and disappointment and asking reason which Wood says he gave as personal situation cited in his letter to Director (actually involves illness of wife and mother-in-law, both of whom may have cancer). Sullivan asked if other reasons existed and Wood states he said retirement was based on personal reasons. Sullivan then asked and Wood acknowledged to him that Wood had previously expressed the view that improvements could be made in NA.

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RE: Allegations of Possible Personnel Conflicts  
in Training and Inspection Division

Wood still felt this was true and was disappointed in having to retire before such changes were put in effect. He told Sullivan he had compiled a draft shortly after 6-6-62 of his ideas on NA curriculum, but doesn't know if he told Sullivan he had given the draft to Assistant Director Malone who gave it to Edwards.

Wood not certain he used expression that he "was frustrated" but he did tell Sullivan the NA desk was difficult due to (1) Wood being new on desk with little orientation by predecessor Inspector Rogers who retired few days after Wood took over desk, (2) clerical assistant on desk who is familiar with work was under emotional strain due to serious illness of roommate, (3) SA [redacted] assistant on desk was relatively inexperienced and much of his time was utilized lecturing to NA and New Agents as well as on a special project assigned [redacted] by Edwards. b6

Wood advised me there had been no refusal by Edwards to see him concerning any matter but for the greater portion of Wood's early assignment to NA desk, Edwards was engaged on committee work with Agency for International Development (AID) was out of building and difficult to contact or consult. He asked Edwards once if Edwards had read draft referred to above and was told he intended to immediately. On 7-2 or 7-3 Edwards gave draft to SA [redacted] in Wood's presence to review for his comment and study by NA Curriculum Committee being set up, and Edwards commented then that draft contained some good ideas, some needed study and he had made marginal notes on the draft.

Wood states draft was result of request by Malone for his ideas on improvement of academy and was not intended as formal request for change in NA curriculum but primarily for use in study of curriculum. He states he did not mention during recent recheck inspection since he felt it had been submitted to proper person only for study by committee, felt there was no improper delay by Edwards in discussion of draft and felt the points in draft would be resolved when curriculum committee, of which he was member, met. Wood denies any conflict with Edwards and has no recollection of anything he may have said to Sullivan that may have indicated such a conflict. Wood repeated that his domestic difficulty was sole reason for retirement and stated he was unaware of critical nature of family health problems when he was assigned to the NA desk.

Edwards also denies conflict with Wood. States received draft by Wood from Malone by routing slip dated 6-14 requesting ideas be studied by proposed

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Curriculum Committee. This committee was suggested by Edwards. Mohr agreed and requested memorandum. Edwards on Malone's desk during his absence 6-18, 19 and 20 during time of recheck inspection and semiannual Inspector's conference. Memorandum submitted 6-21 recommending establishment of committee, and Wood was present when dictated, having previously canvassed other divisions for suggested representatives on the committee. Memorandum approved and returned to division 6-25; Edwards immediately advised Wood of approval, and organizational meeting held 6-28 but Wood's draft not discussed. Edwards offered chairmanship of committee to Wood, which he declined due to pressure of other work. As committee member, Wood did not mention his draft at the first committee meeting. Another committee meeting scheduled for this week.

Edwards advises he was engaged practically full time on subcommittee on U.S. Foreign Police Assistance, approved by Director, from about 4-27, when Rogers left, to 6-15, but that Malone had been in close touch with Wood and Edwards feels Wood could not have handled NA graduation without almost daily guidance.

Edwards states SA [ ] was heavily assigned during this time as were other personnel in the Division including lectures. The special project was one he assigned to [ ] and two other agents on file research on foreign police assistance needed to meet AID subcommittee report deadline. Estimates this assignment amounted to three days' work, sometime in late May. b6

Edwards states he stressed to Wood that his ideas were welcome.

SA [ ]

[ ] denies any conflict with Edwards and states the only incident he can recall which might have caused such an impression was censure he received during Edwards' inspection of Training and Inspection Division in summer of 1959. [ ] felt language of censure letter was incorrect, but made no official protest. Inspection record reflects language in letter justified. [ ] states his decision to retire was based solely on his personal decision and had nothing to do with any relationships between himself and anyone else in the FBI. Edwards confirmed absence of any conflict with [ ]

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CONCLUSIONS:

Apparently Sullivan received a different impression from Wood's comments than Wood intended to convey. Wood, [ ] and Edwards deny any conflicts and Wood and [ ] state retirement requests based solely on personal reasons. Wood is satisfied with handling of his ideas on NA and states no improper delay on part of Edwards.

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The above is submitted for information.

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RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

6-15-62

I certify that I have received the following Government property for official use:

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D. C. Official Parking Permit, expires June 30, 1963  
(green) ✓

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READ

Very truly yours,

The Government property which you hereby acknowledge  
is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care  
of it and returning it when its use has been completed.  
DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN  
ANY WAY.

(Written  
Signature)

*William C. Sullivan*

(Typed  
Signature)

William C. Sullivan

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont *WJS*

DATE: June 4, 1962

FROM : W. C. Sullivan *WJS*cc: Mr. Belmont  
Mr. Sullivan  
Mr. MaloneSUBJECT: SEMI-ANNUAL FIELD INSPECTORS CONFERENCE  
JUNE 18-19, 1962

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*Inspection*  
Rememo 5/22/62 to all Bureau officials.

The following are suggested subject matters which I would like to cover before the captioned conference. It is estimated that one hour will be adequate. I will handle this lecture personally, but Inspector J. A. Sizoo should be listed as an alternate (in the event of an emergency making me unavailable).

1. CP, USA
2. Prosecutions under the Internal Security Act of 1950
3. Nation of Islam
4. Security Informants
5. Counterintelligence Program
6. Thoroughness of Investigations
7. Streamlining Procedures - Narrative-Type Reporting
8. Full Utilization of Information Received from Confidential Investigative Techniques and Informants
9. Foreign Liaison Operations
10. Espionage and Satellite Intelligence Activities
11. Cuban Matters - Collection of Intelligence Data
12. Chinese Investigations
13. Full Utilization of Data from Technical Surveillance

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : MR. CALLAHAN

DATE: July 9, 1962

FROM : C. R. DAVIDSON

SUBJECT: DR. ROBERT SOBLE  
ESPIONAGE - RUSSIA

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On the basis of Mr. Sullivan's memorandum of 7-7-62 the Director has approved letters of censure to Mr. Sullivan, Inspector Donald E. Moore, Section Chief William A. Branigan and Supervisor Elbert T. Turner for the mishandling of the Soble case. In addition, by routing slip the Director has instructed that in view of SA Turner's gross mishandling of the case and the failure to place a surveillance on Soble, SA Turner is to be transferred to the field.

In connection with SA Turner's transfer and return to investigative duties it will be necessary to demote him from his present salary of \$13,510 in grade GS-14 to \$11,935 in grade GS-13. He is being advised of this demotion in the letter of censure.

In accordance with the above, there are attached letters to Sullivan, Moore, Branigan and Turner. The transfer letter ordering SA Turner to the Cleveland Division is also attached.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the attached letters be approved and sent.

Enclosures *7-10-62*

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JUL 18 1962

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JUL 10 1962

August 3, 1962

PERSONAL

Dear Bill:

It certainly gives me a great deal of pleasure to drop you this personal note to extend my warmest and sincerest congratulations to you on your Twenty-first Anniversary with the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Your outstanding example of loyalty and dedication are truly well known and appreciated by me, and I hope the Bureau will have the benefit of your services for many years to come.

With warmest regards and best wishes,

Sincerely,

J. E. H.

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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Anniversary - 8/4 - Saturday

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DATE	8/2/62
BY	<i>[Signature]</i>

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July 9, 1962

PERSONAL

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

You and your subordinates in the Domestic Intelligence Division have been grossly derelict in the manner in which you have handled the Espionage case relating to Dr. Robert Sobel. The failure to take effective measures to prevent the escape of this convicted subject from the United States was inexcusable and you were further at fault in not submitting the matter to me for my decision. There is no justification whatever for these derelictions.

Accordingly, I shall expect you to exercise more efficient supervision of such cases in the future so that there will be no further instances of such gross mishandling in your division.

Very truly yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover  
Director

- 1 - Mr. Belmont (Personal Attention)  
1 - Domestic Intelligence Division Personnel File

Based on memo C. R. Davidson to Mr. Callahan 7-9-62

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October 4, 1962

PERSONAL

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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REC'D-READING ROOM  
FBI

Dear Bill:

I am taking this opportunity to express my appreciation for your outstanding performance in directing the investigation of the Espionage case involving [redacted]

Despite the extremely delicate and difficult nature of this case, it was handled in a highly effective fashion and the results achieved have certainly enhanced the prestige of the Bureau. I am sure the success realized can be attributed in no small degree to the close personal attention you afforded every aspect of the investigation and you should be very proud of your splendid efforts. I am especially pleased to commend you.

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Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

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- 1 - Mr. M. A. Jones  
1 - Miss [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on Davidson-Callahan memo, 10-4-62, [redacted] Espionage-Russia."

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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

JUL 30 1962

**In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.**

Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

RE: SA WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN  
(Type or print plainly)

Dear Sir:

For inclusion in the fund to be paid to the designated beneficiary of any Special Agent of the FBI who has previously contributed to this fund and who dies from any cause except self-destruction while employed as a Special Agent, I am forwarding herewith **(by Check - Money Order)** the sum of \$10, payable to the Assistant Director, Administrative Division, FBI, to be included in said fund. Payment will be made for death by self-destruction after the Agent has been a member of the fund for a continuous period of two years. It is understood and agreed that the sum tendered herewith is a voluntary, gratuitous contribution to said fund which I understand is to be administered in the following manner.

The Director of the FBI will appoint a committee which shall consider all matters pertaining to the acquisition, safe keeping and expending of said fund, which committee will recommend appropriate action to the Director in pertinent matters. The Assistant Director of the Administrative Division of the FBI shall receive all contributions and account for same to the Director. Upon the death of any Special Agent who is a member of said fund the appointed committee will consider the case and submit a recommendation to the Director as to its conclusions. Appropriate instructions will then be issued to the Assistant Director of the Administrative Division, directing him to pay to the designated beneficiary the sum of \$10,000. The liability of the fund shall not under any circumstances exceed the amount of monies in the fund at the time any liability shall occur. The following person is designated as my beneficiary for FBI Agents' Insurance Fund:

Name (primary beneficiary) <b>Marion L. Sullivan</b>	Relationship <b>Wife</b>	Date <b>7/27/62</b>
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Address

**2810 64th Avenue, Cheverly, Maryland**

Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired)	Relationship <b>Children</b>	Date <b>7/27/62</b>
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Address **to share and share alike, equally.**

The following person is designated as my beneficiary under the Chas. S. Ross Fund providing \$1500 death benefit to beneficiary of **agents killed in the line of duty, other than travel accidents.**

Name (primary beneficiary) <b>Marion L. Sullivan</b>	Relationship <b>Wife</b>	Date <b>7/27/62</b>
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Very truly yours,

Special Agent

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UNITED STATES GOV

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: **October 23, 1962**

FROM : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

**SUBJECT:**

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Reference is made to the enclosed error slip stating that the word "JUNE" should not have appeared on the original and copy of the communication sent to the Attorney General.

I suggest that any letter of censure be directed to me personally in this matter. I was instructed that this memorandum must be prepared with great urgency and that I was to hold it under the tightest possible secrecy. Therefore, I gave the instructions for the preparation of this communication myself and handled it personally in my own office. Even no other Agent personnel were informed of this preparation.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

**For your information.**

1 - Mr. Belmont  
1 - Mr. Sullivan

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## Enclosures

OCT 28 1962

November 20, 1962

PERSONAL

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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REC'D-READING ROOM  
FBI

Dear Bill:

It is with considerable pleasure that I commend you for your exceptionally fine services in directing the investigation of the Cuban Sabotage matter involving [redacted] and others.

This was an extremely sensitive investigation and very successful results were achieved under your over-all supervision. You displayed the highest degree of thoroughness and effectiveness and your performance was certainly a credit to you and to the FBI. I want you to know of my sincere appreciation.

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Sincerely,

JCH

1 - Miss [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on memo Wannall to Sullivan, 11-19-62 and addendum Administrative Division, 11-20-62 re: "Cuban Sabotage Efforts in the United States, Internal Security-Cuba."

NOTE: Salutation per reading room.

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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

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Marion L. Sullivan	Wife	9/28/62
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Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired)	Relationship	Date
	Children	9/28/62
Address to share and share alike, equally.		

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Address to share and share alike, equally.		

Very truly yours,

*William C. Sullivan*  
Special Agent

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December 14, 1962

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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FBI  
READING ROOM

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

I want to commend, through you, the agents in the Domestic Intelligence Division who assisted in such a fine manner in handling a special project of interest to the Bureau in the security field.

This assignment was handled with efficiency and thoroughness and the men who participated did excellent work and demonstrated exemplary devotion to duty in voluntarily working many hours of overtime at considerable personal inconvenience. Please convey to them my sincere appreciation for a job expertly handled.

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Sincerely yours

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1 - Mr. Sullivan (Personal Attention)  
Re: IGOR CASSINI, REGISTRATION ACT - DOMINICAN  
REPUBLIC

1 - Miss [ ] (Sent Direct)  
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Based on memo Evans to Belmont, 12-6-62 and addendum Administrative Division, 12-13-62 re: "IGOR CASSINI, REGISTRATION ACT - DOMINICAN REPUBLIC."  
Copies prepared and attached for files of: Raymond W. Wannall, Jr., George C. Moore, Howard W. Little

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# REPORT OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

**F.B.I.**

1. LAST NAME FIRST NAME MIDDLE NAME  
**SULLIVAN, WILLIAM C.**

2. GRADE AND COMPONENT OR POSITION  
**ASSISTANT DIRECTOR**

3. PURPOSE OF EXAMINATION

4. DATE OF EXAMINATION  
**12-10-62**

5. SEX **MALE** 6. RACE **WHITE** 7. TOTAL YEARS GOVERNMENT SERVICE  
8. AGENCY **ANNUAL** 9. ORGANIZATION UNIT

10. DATE OF BIRTH **5-25-12** 11. PLACE OF BIRTH **MASSACHUSETTS**

12. NAME, RELATIONSHIP, AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

13. EXAMINING FACILITY OR EXAMINER, AND ADDRESS  
**W N M C**

14. OTHER INFORMATION

15. RATING OR SPECIALTY

16. TIME IN THIS CAPACITY (Total) LAST SIX MONTHS

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19. NOSE	
20. SINUSES	
21. MOUTH AND THROAT	
22. EARS—GENERAL (Int. & ext. canals) (Auditory acuity under items 70 and 71)	
23. DRUMS (Percussion)	
24. EYES—GENERAL (Visual acuity and refraction under items 40, 41 and 42)	
25. OPHTHALMOSCOPIC	
26. PUPILS (Equality and reaction)	
27. OCULAR MOTILITY (Associated parallel movements, nystagmus)	
28. LUNGS AND CHEST (Include breaths)	
29. HEART (Thrust, size, rhythm, sounds)	
30. VASCULAR SYSTEM (Auscultation, etc.)	
31. ABDOMEN AND VISCERA (Include hernia)	
32. ANUS AND RECTUM (Hemorrhoids, fistulae) (Prostate, if indicated)	
33. ENDOCRINE SYSTEM	
34. G-U SYSTEM	
35. UPPER EXTREMITIES (Strength, range of motion)	
36. FEET	
37. LOWER EXTREMITIES (Range of motion) (Strength, range of motion)	
38. SPINE, OTHER MUSCULOSKELETAL	
39. IDENTIFYING BODY MARKS, SCARS, TATTOOS	
40. SKIN, LYMPHATICS	
41. NEUROLOGIC (Equilibrium tests under item 72)	
42. PSYCHIATRIC (Specify any personality deviation)	
43. PELVIC (Females only) (Check how done)	
<input type="checkbox"/> VAGINAL <input type="checkbox"/> RECTAL	

NOTES. (Describe every abnormality in detail. Enter pertinent item number before each comment. Continue in item 73 and use additional sheets if necessary.)

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*Re - and C. were shown to him and he was 1-7-63 1963*

44. DENTAL (Place appropriate symbols above or below number of upper and lower teeth, respectively.)

O - Restorable teeth												X - Missing teeth				XXX - Replaced by dentures				R X X - Fixed bridge, brackets to include abutments				REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL DENTAL DEFECTS AND DISEASES.									
Nonrestorable teeth																																	
RIGHT	32	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	LEFT
	X	X	X																														

*canine as noted*

LABORATORY FINDINGS

45. URINALYSIS: A. SPECIFIC GRAVITY **1.005** 46. CHEST X-RAY (Place, date, film number and result)

B. ALBUMIN **neg.** D. MICROSCOPIC **neg.** **21724-62 See report.**

C. SUGAR **neg.** 47. SEROLOGY (Specify test used and result) 48. EKG **WNL** 49. BLOOD TYPE AND RH FACTOR **X-ray left knee - See report.**

50. OTHER TESTS

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# MEASUREMENTS AND OTHER FINDINGS

51. HEIGHT 66	52. WEIGHT 152	53. COLOR HAIR Brown	54. COLOR EYES Blue	55. BUILD: <input type="checkbox"/> SLENDER <input type="checkbox"/> MEDIUM <input type="checkbox"/> HEAVY <input type="checkbox"/> OBESE	56. TEMPERATURE 97.8
57. BLOOD PRESSURE (Arm at heart level)			58. PULSE (Arm at heart level)		
A. SITTING SYS. 100 DIAS. 68	B. RECUMBENT SYS. DIAS. STANDING (3 min.)	C. SITTING 84	D. AFTER EXERCISE E. 2 MIN. AFTER F. RECUMBENT G. AFTER STANDING 3 MIN.		
59. DISTANT VISION		60. REFRACTION		61. 7.5 M NEAR VISION	
RIGHT 20/20	CORR. TO 20/	BY	S.	OK	
LEFT 20/20	CORR. TO 20/	BY	S.	OK	
62. HETEROPHORIA (Specify distance)					
25°	EX°	R. H.	L. H.	PRISM DIV.	PRISM CONV. CT
63. ACCOMMODATION		64. COLOR VISION (Test used and result)		65. DEPTH PERCEPTION (Test used and score)	
RIGHT	LEFT	Ace-1940/8/18		UNCORRECTED CORRECTED	
66. FIELD OF VISION		67. NIGHT VISION (Test used and score)		68. RED LENS TEST	
69. INTRAOCULAR TENSION		70. HEARING		71. AUDIOMETER	
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ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, F.B.I.

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SULLIVAN, WILLIAM *Corporal*

DATE OF REQUEST

*12-10-62*

*5'6" 149#*

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RADIOGRAPHIC REPORT

*21724-62*

*12/10/62* *1035*

Typed 12 Dec 62

10 Dec 62. PA and lateral projections of the chest are radiographically normal.

WDW:tec

~~AP, lateral, and tunnel views of the left knee fail to demonstrate evidence of fracture.~~

WDW:tec

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ASSISTANT DIRECTOR  
REPORT OF MEDICAL HISTORY

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F.B.I.  
IDENTIFICATION NO.

1. LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE NAME <u>SULLIVAN William C.</u>		2. GRADE AND COMPONENT OR POSITION <u>ASSISTANT DIRECTOR</u>	
4. HOME ADDRESS (Number, street or R.F.D., city or town, zone and State) <u>5-25-12 BOLTON, MASS.</u>		5. PURPOSE OF EXAMINATION <u>ANNUAL PHYSICAL</u>	
6. SEX <u>M.</u>	8. RACE <u>WHITE</u>	9. TOTAL YRS. GOVT. SERVICE MILITARY <u>      </u> CIVILIAN <u>      </u>	10. DEPARTMENT, AGENCY, OR SERVICE <u>      </u>
11. ORGANIZATION UNIT <u>      </u>		6. DATE OF EXAMINATION <u>12-10-62</u>	
12. DATE OF BIRTH <u>5-25-12</u>		13. PLACE OF BIRTH <u>BOLTON, MASS.</u>	
14. NAME, RELATIONSHIP, AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN <u>      </u>		15. EXAMINING FACILITY OR EXAMINER, AND ADDRESS <u>      </u>	
16. OTHER INFORMATION <u>      </u>		17. STATEMENT OF EXAMINEE'S PRESENT HEALTH IN OWN WORDS. (Follow by description of past history, if complaint exists) <u>EXCELLENT</u>	

18. FAMILY HISTORY				19. HAS ANY BLOOD RELATION (Parent, brother, sister, other) OR HUSBAND OR WIFE:			
RELATION	AGE	STATE OF HEALTH	IF DEAD, CAUSE OF DEATH	AGE AT DEATH	YES	NO	RELATION(S)
FATHER			<u>STROKE</u>	<u>76</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HAD TUBERCULOSIS
MOTHER			<u>STROKE</u>	<u>70</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HAD SYPHILIS
SPOUSE	<u>48</u>	<u>VERY GOOD</u>			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HAD DIABETES <u>UNCLE</u>
BROTHERS	<u>58</u>	<u>"</u>			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HAD CANCER
AND	<u>58</u>	<u>"</u>			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HAD KIDNEY TROUBLE
SISTERS	<u>61</u>	<u>"</u>			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HAD HEART TROUBLE
CHILDREN	<u>12</u>	<u>EXCELLENT</u>	<u>except for allergies which are rather severe</u>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HAD RHEUMATISM (Arthritis) <u>MOTHER</u>
	<u>9</u>	<u>"</u>			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HAD ASTHMA, HAY FEVER, HIVES <u>WIFE</u>
	<u>7</u>	<u>"</u>			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HAD EPILEPSY (Fits)
					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		COMMITTED SUICIDE
					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		BEEN INSANE

20. HAVE YOU EVER HAD OR HAVE YOU NOW (Place check at left of each item)			
YES	NO	(Check each item)	YES
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		SCARLET FEVER, ERYSIPELAS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		DIPHTHERIA	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		RHEUMATIC FEVER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		SWOLLEN OR PAINFUL JOINTS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		MUMPS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		WHOOPING COUGH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		FREQUENT OR SEVERE HEADACHE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		DIZZINESS OR FAINTING SPELLS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		EYE TROUBLE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		EAR, NOSE OR THROAT TROUBLE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		RUNNING EARS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		CHRONIC OR FREQUENT COLDS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		SEVERE TOOTH OR GUM TROUBLE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		SINUSITIS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HAY FEVER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		GOITER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		TUBERCULOSIS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		SOAKING SWEATS (Night sweats)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		ASTHMA	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		SHORTNESS OF BREATH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		PAIN OR PRESSURE IN CHEST	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		CHRONIC COUGH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		PALPITATION OR POUNDING HEART	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HIGH OR LOW BLOOD PRESSURE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		CRAMPS IN YOUR LEGS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		FREQUENT INDIGESTION	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		STOMACH, LIVER OR INTESTINAL TROUBLE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		GALL BLADDER TROUBLE OR GALL STONES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		JAUNDICE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		ANY REACTION TO SERUM, DRUG OR MEDICINE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		TUMOR, GROWTH, CYST, CANCER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		RUPTURE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		APPENDICITIS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		PILES OR RECTAL DISEASE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		FREQUENT OR PAINFUL URINATION	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		KIDNEY STONE OR BLOOD IN URINE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		SUGAR OR ALBUMIN IN URINE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		BOILS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		VENEREAL DISEASE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		RECENT GAIN OR LOSS OF WEIGHT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		ARTHRITIS OR RHEUMATISM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		BONE, JOINT, OR OTHER DEFORMITY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		LAMENESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		LOSS OF ARM, LEG, FINGER, OR TOE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		PAINFUL OR "TRICK" SHOULDER OR ELBOW	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		"TRICK" OR LOCKED KNEE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		FOOT TROUBLE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		NEURITIS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		PARALYSIS (Inc. infantile)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		EPILEPSY OR FITS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		CAR, TRAIN, SEA, OR AIR SICKNESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		FREQUENT TROUBLE SLEEPING	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		FREQUENT OR TERRIFYING NIGHTMARES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		DEPRESSION OR EXCESSIVE WORRY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		LOSS OF MEMORY OR AMNESIA	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		BED WETTING	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		NERVOUS TROUBLE OF ANY SORT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		ANY DRUG OR NARCOTIC HABIT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		EXCESSIVE DRINKING HABIT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		HOMOSEXUAL TENDENCIES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

21. HAVE YOU EVER (Check each item)		22. FEMALES ONLY: A. HAVE YOU EVER - B. COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WORN GLASSES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ATTEMPTED SUICIDE
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WORN HEARING AIDS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	LIVED WITH ANYONE WHO HAD TUBERCULOSIS
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HAD IRREGULAR MENSTRUATION	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	QUANTITY: <input type="checkbox"/> NORMAL <input type="checkbox"/> EXCESSIVE <input type="checkbox"/> SCANTY
23. HOW MANY JOBS HAVE YOU HAD IN THE PAST THREE YEARS? <u>      </u>		24. WHAT IS THE LONGEST PERIOD YOU HELD ANY OF THESE JOBS? MONTH'S <u>      </u>	
25. WHAT IS YOUR USUAL OCCUPATION? <u>      </u>		26. ARE YOU (Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> RIGHT HANDED <input type="checkbox"/> LEFT HANDED	

YES	NO	CHECK EACH ITEM YES OR NO. EVERY ITEM CHECKED "YES" MUST BE FULLY EXPLAINED IN BLANK SPACE ON RIGHT.
		27. HAVE YOU BEEN UNABLE TO HOLD A JOB BECAUSE OF:
	✓	A. SENSITIVITY TO CHEMICALS, DUST, SUNLIGHT, ETC.
	✓	B. INABILITY TO PERFORM CERTAIN MOTIONS
	✓	C. INABILITY TO ASSUME CERTAIN POSITIONS
	✓	D. OTHER MEDICAL REASONS (If yes, give reasons)
	✓	28. HAVE YOU EVER WORKED WITH RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCE?
	✓	29. DID YOU HAVE DIFFICULTY WITH SCHOOL STUDIES OR TEACHERS? (If yes, give details)
	✓	30. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN REFUSED EMPLOYMENT BECAUSE OF YOUR HEALTH? (If yes, state reason and give details)
	✓	31. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DENIED LIFE INSURANCE? (If yes, state reason and give details)
	✓	32. HAVE YOU HAD, OR HAVE YOU BEEN ADVISED TO HAVE, ANY OPERATIONS? (If yes, describe and give age at which occurred)
	✓	33. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A PATIENT (committed or voluntary) IN A MENTAL HOSPITAL OR SANATORIUM? (If yes, specify when, where, why, and name of doctor, and complete address of hospital or clinic)
	✓	34. HAVE YOU EVER HAD ANY ILLNESS OR INJURY OTHER THAN THOSE ALREADY NOTED? (If yes, specify when, where, and give details)
✓		35. HAVE YOU CONSULTED OR BEEN TREATED BY CLINICS, PHYSICIANS, HEALERS, OR OTHER PRACTITIONERS WITHIN THE PAST 5 YEARS? (If yes, give complete address of doctor, hospital, clinic, and details)
	✓	36. HAVE YOU TREATED YOURSELF FOR ILLNESSES OTHER THAN MINOR COLDS? (If yes, which illnesses)
	✓	37. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN REJECTED FOR MILITARY SERVICE BECAUSE OF PHYSICAL, MENTAL, OR OTHER REASONS? (If yes, give date and reason for rejection)
	✓	38. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED FROM MILITARY SERVICE BECAUSE OF PHYSICAL, MENTAL, OR OTHER REASONS? (If yes, give date, reason, and type of discharge: whether honorable, other than honorable, for unfitness or unsuitability)
	✓	39. HAVE YOU EVER RECEIVED, IS THERE PENDING, HAVE YOU APPLIED FOR, OR DO YOU INTEND TO APPLY FOR PENSION OR COMPENSATION FOR EXISTING DISABILITY? (If yes, specify what kind, granted by whom, and what amount, when, why)

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BRONCHITIS - 1957  
DOCTOR'S HOSPITAL -

yes, Washington Clinic, due to pains  
lower portion of neck, headaches, etc.

I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE REVIEWED THE FOREGOING INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY ME AND THAT IT IS TRUE AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.  
I AUTHORIZE ANY OF THE DOCTORS, HOSPITALS, OR CLINICS MENTIONED ABOVE TO FURNISH THE GOVERNMENT A COMPLETE TRANSCRIPT OF MY MEDICAL RECORD FOR PURPOSES OF PROCESSING MY APPLICATION FOR THIS EMPLOYMENT OR SERVICE.

TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF EXAMINEE

WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN

SIGNATURE

William C. Sullivan

40. PHYSICIAN'S SUMMARY AND ELABORATION OF ALL PERTINENT DATA (Physician shall comment on all positive answers in items 20 thru 39)

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TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF PHYSICIAN OR EXAMINER

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## Attachment to Standard Form 88, Report of Medical Examination

For Information and Guidance of Medical Examiner

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, F.B.I.

Name of Examinee SULLIVAN, WILLIAM C.  
 (Type or print) Last First Middle

The following portions of the attached examination report form need not be completed:

2	14	68
3	17	69
4	62	72
9	65	76
11	67	

46. Is necessary unless facilities for affording same are not readily available.
48. Not required unless examinee is over 35 years of age or examination indicates such is desirable.
49. Is necessary unless facilities for affording same are not readily available.
71. Audiometer examinations should be afforded whenever possible for all Special Agent applicants and Special Agents. Applicants for the Special Agent position will not be accepted if the hearing loss exceeds a 15 decibel average in each ear in the conversational speech range (500, 1000, 2000 cycles).

## For All Examinees, Whether Clerical or Special Agent Applicants or Employees:

The medical examiner should answer the following question:

Examinee ☒ is ☐ is not qualified for strenuous physical exertion.

## To be Answered in the Case of All Male Employees and Male Applicants:

1. Does examinee have any defects restricting or prohibiting his participation in defensive tactics and dangerous assignments which might entail the practical use of firearms?

☒ No ☐ Yes If "yes" please specify defects. \_\_\_\_\_

2. Does examinee have any defects prohibiting safe operation of motor vehicles?

☒ No ☐ Yes If "yes" please specify defects. \_\_\_\_\_

3. For safe driving of motor vehicles, Civil Service Commission requires distant vision must test at least 20/40 in one eye and 20/100 in the other, corrected or uncorrected. Should examinee wear corrective glasses while operating a motor vehicle? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If recommendation is based on a factor other than above standard, indicate basis \_\_\_\_\_

Desirable Weight Ranges for Males

Height	Small Frame	Medium Frame	Large Frame
5' 4"	117 - 125	123 - 135	131 - 148
5' 5"	120 - 129	126 - 139	134 - 152
5' 6"	124 - 133	130 - 143	138 - 157
5' 7"	128 - 137	134 - 148	143 - 162
5' 8"	132 - 141	138 - 152	147 - 166
5' 9"	136 - 146	142 - 156	151 - 170
5' 10"	140 - 150	146 - 161	155 - 175
5' 11"	144 - 154	150 - 166	160 - 180
6'	148 - 158	154 - 171	164 - 185
6' 1"	152 - 163	158 - 176	169 - 190
6' 2"	156 - 167	163 - 181	174 - 195
6' 3"	160 - 171	168 - 186	178 - 200
6' 4"	169 - 180	178 - 196	188 - 210
6' 5"	174 - 185	182 - 202	192 - 216

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3. Examinee's frame is ☐ small ☐ medium ☒ large
4. Considering above weight table, the examinee's frame, and other individual physical characteristics, I consider his present weight ☒ Satisfactory ☐ Excessive ☐ Deficient
5. Under proper medical supervision, examinee should ☐ lose \_\_\_\_\_ pounds  
☐ gain \_\_\_\_\_ pounds

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

(Signature of Medical Examiner)

12/10/62

(Date)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: 12/6/62

FROM : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

SUBJECT: "THE NEW YORK TIMES"  
 (12-2-62, Reporting of  
 W. C. Sullivan's Lecture  
 Fordham University)

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
 Belmont \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
 Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
 DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
 Evans \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
 Holloman \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

PREDICATION

Reference is made to the enclosed clipping from "The New York Times" of 12-2-62 allegedly quoting remarks from the lecture I gave at Fordham University, New York 11-30-62. Mr. Tolson asked the question: "Correct quote?"

THE FACTS

In the enclosed newspaper clipping I am quoted three times. Twice the quote is essentially correct; once it is not; and in all three instances my words are not reported accurately. I will take them in the order referred to in the paper.

At no time did I refer to the "far right" as being "every bit as subversive to the United States as the far left." What I said and the context in which it was said is as follows.

The psychological context of the student gathering was one of great seriousness and respect for the FBI. The over-all attitude was very friendly. Two students, however, in their questions and demeanor manifested hostility toward the Bureau and they asked three loaded questions. Some 20 to 30 other questions asked were in perfectly good spirit. The loaded questions were these: "Does the FBI show favoritism toward the right?" My reply was: "The FBI does not show favoritism toward any person or any organization treating all equally before the law. If those of the extreme right violate laws over which the FBI has jurisdiction, they are handled in the same manner as violators of the extreme left." I gave as an example the Bundists of World War II. The next question

Enclosure

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1 - Mr. Belmont

1 - Mr. Mohr

1 - Mr. DeLoach

1 - Mr. Sullivan

1 - Mr. J. A. Sizoo

1 - Mr. D. E. Moore

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 Re: "The New York Times"

was: "Do you believe the extreme right in the United States could be equally as subversive as the extreme left?" My reply was: "If it had a growing world power behind it and international control such as the extreme left has in communism, it could be equally subversive; but this world power and control it does not have." The same student as a part of this general question, while on his feet, also wanted to know why the FBI considered the communist movement an internal danger. I replied that it was a conspiracy whose thought and practices constituted a threat and, further, that it was an integral part of the world communist movement with 41 million Communist Party members controlling the lives of a billion people in a world of 3 billion; with some 17 communist nations extending from Eastern Germany to China and with over 80 Communist Parties around the world, some 70 of which existed in noncommunist countries. The last loaded question was: "I understand that the FBI, through its informants, is actually supporting and perpetuating the Communist Party. What would you say to this?" Obviously, this question stemmed from the statements of former Special Agent [redacted] so I thought it would be well to get [redacted] charges out in the open. I asked the student if he got this idea from the writings of former FBI Agent [redacted] in his article in the "Nation" magazine and statements made by him elsewhere. Without hesitation, he said "yes." It was to this that he referred. I then took about 5 minutes and blasted [redacted] mentioning among other things that he had tried repeatedly to get back into the FBI and, when refused, launched on a vicious, lying campaign against the FBI. When I mentioned that [redacted] pretends to be an authority on the FBI despite the fact he was with us less than a year, a vigorous laugh from the students sympathetic to the Bureau followed.

The second quotation relating to the need to avoid false issues (i. e., that communists are behind the mental health movement, etc.) and concentrate on the real issues (i. e., freedom under law, etc.) is correct in substance but the words quoted are out of context and not used in the proper sequence.

The third quotation, again, is correct in substance but out of context and incomplete with words out of sequence. For example, I said "may witness" not "will witness." Also, I said "Your generation may witness the end of this global conflict with communism one way or the other, hence the urgency and importance of your contribution toward defeating communist totalitarianism. Your generation may tip the scales either for or against a communist or free world." I then went on to develop this thought in greater detail pointing to what can be done in a positive, creative, constructive manner to counter communism.



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Re: "The New York Times"

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It is to be noted that "The New York Times" did not print my denunciation of [redacted]. Parenthetically, I might add that before my lecture I inquired if any newspaper reporters were present. I was told that none were present; that it was purely a college affair which pressmen would not attend. This was told to me by [redacted]. It would seem to me that the two students who asked the loaded questions were there for the purpose of getting something they could twist about for their own motives. It is likely they passed on the distorted version to "The New York Times" for I doubt that a reporter from that paper was present.

#### OBSERVATIONS:

This all brings up a matter I have been thinking about recently. It is this: I should not be given any assignments to speak in public. I say this because when any Assistant Director speaks in public on communism he is apt to get considerable attention from hostile press representatives. If they can twist what he says to suit their purposes, it means more to them than if they distorted the words of an Agent. Also, I think the important reasons for my speaking in public on communism no longer exist. It will be recalled that when I began speaking some years ago it was (1) to alert the public to the communist danger; (2) to get across the Bureau's message on internal security matters; (3) to build good will for the FBI among intellectuals, college professors, students, writers, etc.; and during recent years (4) to make it evident that the FBI was not identified with the "extreme right" for increasingly serious charges were made that we were so identified and that we fed, nourished, enflamed and kept in existence the "extreme right" which made countless false charges against innocent people across the country thereby dividing and weakening us as a people. These reasons for my speaking in public no longer exist, at least not to any serious extent. Further, I have developed in this Division four men (C. D. Brennan, [redacted] J. F. Condon and [redacted] who are fully capable of handling any public lectures on communism. Two other men for this purpose are now in the process of development (J. M. Sizoo and J. E. Keating).

Lastly, I wish to say that since I have been in charge of this Division I have carried (and very gladly so) two loads, (1) the responsibility for the administration and work of this Division and (2) a rather extensive lecture - contact program. I repeat that I have felt privileged to be able to do this and have done it gladly. However, to be frank, physically I cannot do this indefinitely for, as the record will show, it has meant for me consistently a 3-1/2 day week. I think this is the time to consider not assigning me any more public lectures unless, of course, the Director has one occasionally he wishes me to take. The only lectures I believe should be handled by me are the five or six classified

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Re: "The New York Times"

lectures given each year at the War College and service academies, two of them being in Washington, D. C. I would like to devote more and more of my time to administration and also more of my weekend time to the Advisory Committee on Training of which I am a member. This Committee, I do believe, is off to a good start but it has an immense amount of work to do to properly establish FBI training on the level envisioned by all members of the Committee.

In view of the above, unless advised to the contrary I will assume that no more public lectures will be assigned to me.

RECOMMENDATION:

For the information of Mr. Tolson.

*W.E.L.*

*Mr. Tolson has done an  
excellent job of  
organizing the  
Advisory Committee on  
Training. He has  
done a great deal of  
work in this field  
and is well qualified  
to handle it.*

*Very truly  
yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover*

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Date: 2/19/63

Transmit the following in PLAIN  
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL  
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Evans	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____ <i>JC</i>
Mr. Sullivan	_____ <i>3/4</i>
Mr. Tavel	_____ <i>3/4</i>
Mr. Trotter	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, ALBUQUERQUE

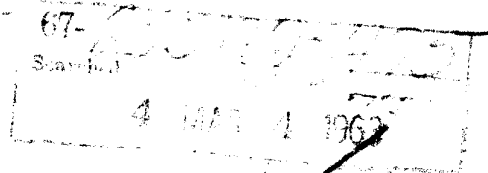
WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN  
 ASSISTANT DIRECTOR  
 REQUEST FOR SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT  
 ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO  
 JULY 20, 1963

There is enclosed herewith a letter from [redacted]  
 [redacted] University of New Mexico, dated  
 2/19/63 requesting that Assistant Director W. C. SULLIVAN be  
 the featured speaker at the New Mexico State American Legion  
 convention, Roswell, New Mexico on July 20, 1963.

Due to the extremely close relationship which exists  
 between this office and the American Legion for the State of  
 New Mexico and [redacted] it is respectfully requested  
 that [redacted] request be complied with if at all  
 possible.

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*M. J. Trotter*  
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Approved: [Signature] Sent 49 M Per [Signature]  
 Special Agent in Charge

NOTE

John E. Gurule  
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National Executive  
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Executive Committeeman  
Albuquerque



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Albuquerque

February 13, 1963

Mr. Oscar Hawkins  
Special Agent in Charge  
F. B. I.  
Albuquerque, New Mexico

My dear Oscar;

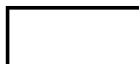
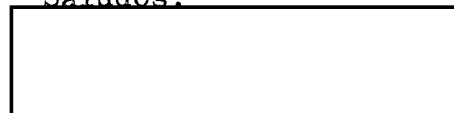
The Department of New Mexico American Legion through its State Adjutant [redacted] has ask me to contact our mutual friend Billie Sullivan of the Bureau's Washington Office to be our featured speaker at the Department Convention in Roswell on July 20, 1963.

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As you know we could contact Billie directly since we have worked with him and the staff for many years but I think it best that this request go through you and your office. Recently when you were out I called and talked with your [redacted] and he also believes this the proper procedure.

As you and the splendid Organization you represent know, we have always worked and stood against the fanatical fringes and extremes of both the Left and the Right in a positive program for the good of our Country. We know that Billie Sullivan, Mr. Hoover himself and all of you feel the same way in regard to this matter. Therefore we sincerely hope that you can arrange to have Mr. Sullivan be with us come next July 20th.

Saludos.



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A STRONG AMERICAN LEGION IS A STRONG AMERICA

(Field Office or Division) Domestic Intelligence

(Date) November 29, 1962

Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

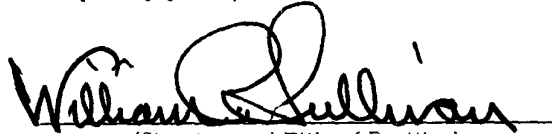
Dear Sir:

In continuing my employment in the Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice, I hereby agree that I will be governed by the following provisions.

1. That the strictly confidential character of any and all information secured by me or coming to my attention in connection, directly or indirectly, with my work as an employee of this Bureau, or the work of other employees of which I may become cognizant, is fully understood by me; and that neither during my tenure of service with the Federal Bureau of Investigation, nor at any time, will I violate this confidence nor will I divulge any information of any kind or character whatsoever that may become known to me to persons not officially entitled thereto, recognizing applicability to me of penalty provisions in case of any violation by me.
2. That information referred to in Item 1 above includes but is by no means limited to information in the interests of the defense of the United States marked "Top Secret," "Secret," or "Confidential," and that Department of Justice regulations provide specifically for penalty applicable to me for any violation of Executive Order 10501, the basic authority for safeguarding such information, as follows: "Any officer or employee who violates any provision of Executive Order No. 10501, as amended, or of these regulations shall be subject to appropriate disciplinary action. Prompt and stringent administrative action shall be taken against any officer or employee determined to have been knowingly responsible for any release or disclosure of classified defense information or material except in the manner authorized by these regulations. Whenever a violation of criminal statutes may be involved in a deliberate unauthorized release or disclosure of classified defense information, criminal prosecution, in an appropriate case, shall also be instituted."

I further certify that the conditions specified herein are agreeable to me, and that I continue as an employee of the Federal Bureau of Investigation with a full knowledge of the conditions above set forth.

Very truly yours,

  
(Signature and Title of Position)

William C. Sullivan  
Assistant Director

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December 12, 1962

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

I have reviewed the results of the recent inspection of the Domestic Intelligence Division and, based on the Inspector's findings, the various operations are rated as follows: physical condition and maintenance, investigative and administrative operations, and personnel matters - very good; contacts - excellent.

The space occupied was found to be well kept. You should continue to stress the necessity for maximum security in your operations. Minor housekeeping delinquencies which were detected should be corrected.

I was gratified to learn of the excellent accomplishments from your imaginative programs to uncover illegal agents and infiltrate Soviet-bloc intelligence operations. You should continue to afford aggressive leadership to such programs, insuring, through constant evaluation, that they are justified. Two current programs dealing with examination of new savings accounts in several selected cities to identify Soviet-bloc illegal agents and alerting key scientists in the San Francisco Division to the possibility of espionage approaches need particular attention. If these two programs do not show some tangible results in the near future, they should be discontinued. Although the "Cuban crisis" has subsided somewhat, it will present a problem for some time to come, and this will also require your continued attention.

DUPLICATE YELLOW

The number of security sources developed through interviews of subversives is very impressive. This and other programs of this nature must be vigorously pursued if we are to replace the established informants necessarily exposed in legal proceedings against the communists. The quality of material furnished by several of your high-level informants is excellent, and the success of your Counterintelligence Program against the Communist Party indicates very effective planning and supervision.

- 1 - Mr. Callahan (Attention: Mr. C. R. Davidson) (with enclosure)  
1 - Inspection file - Domestic Intelligence Division  
1 - Personnel file of Asst. Director William C. Sullivan

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**Mr. William C. Sullivan**

**Your stenographic production is still below expectations. In the training and supervision of new stenographers you should make every effort to improve their performance. This action, coupled with other necessary measures, should also assist your Division in reducing its delinquency in the handling of routine mail. The errors of form and the one error of substance noted by the Inspector should be discussed with all personnel to guard against any repetition in the future.**

**Our liaison responsibilities are continually increasing and this phase of your operations should continue to receive close supervision and control. The Inspector has discussed with you the need to reduce our supervisory staff if at all possible. You should analyze the work of your subordinates frequently on a desk-by-desk basis to insure all personnel are essential.**

**Your speech program was found to be very effective. The Inspector found that your personnel exhibit a very enthusiastic and businesslike attitude toward their duties, and the extent of their participation in Bureau programs such as the FBI Recreation Association, "The Investigator," blood donations and suggestions is very gratifying.**

**The findings of the Inspector have been called to your attention during the inspection. You should carefully study the various inspection papers and review the Inspector's comments and instructions with your supervisory staff. The Inspection Division should be advised promptly of action taken by you to correct the deficiencies detected during the course of the inspection.**

**Sincerely yours,**

**John Edgar Hoover  
Director**

**NOTE: Based on memo J. H. Gale to Mr. Tolson dated 12/11/62 captioned "Inspection - Domestic Intelligence Division; Inspector J. K. Ponde 11/15 - 12/3/62," JKP:wmj;ejw.**



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December 11, 1962

Mr. Tolson

J. H. Gale

INSPECTION - DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION  
INSPECTOR J. K. PONDER  
NOVEMBER 15 - DECEMBER 3, 1962

SYNOPSIS

Officials: Assistant Director William C. Sullivan in charge since 6/2/61; Inspector J. A. Sizoo, Number One Man and Branch Chief (Internal Security - Liaison Branch) since 9/15/53; Inspector D. E. Moore, Branch Chief (Espionage - Central Research Branch), since 10/14/56. Last inspection: 12/4 - 18/61.

Physical Condition and Maintenance - Very Good. (Last Inspection - Very Good.) Division still located in Riddell Building. Space adequate and well organized but limited room for expansion. Space generally very well maintained. Minor delinquencies ordered corrected. Physical security satisfactory. No delinquencies in automobiles or garage space.

Investigative Operations - Very Good. (Last Inspection - Very Good.) Cases handled totaled 24,368 as of 10/31/62 (increase of 727 over 10/31/61). Field delinquency reduced from 8.4% to 5.5%. [REDACTED]

(S) [REDACTED] highly placed informants continue to furnish extremely valuable information on plans and activities of Soviet Union and National Committee of Communist Party, USA, including funds furnished to Communist Party by Soviets. Other informants have made significant progress. [REDACTED] live informants in Communist Party on all levels. [REDACTED] informants made available to Department in connection with prosecutions. Programs in effect to replace 8 disclosed through testimony to date. 11,120 names on Security Index represents slight decrease. 1,587 subversives interviewed since 12/1/61 and [REDACTED] informants or sources developed. Cuban matters being afforded special attention. Total of 54 Cuban aliens now on Security Index. Counterintelligence activities effective. Central Research Section produced excellent results in special project on Communism. Liaison Section being closely supervised. Increase reflected in number of investigations conducted in 1962 for foreign police and security agencies. [REDACTED]

Administrative Operations - Very Good. (Last Inspection - Very Good.) Supervision well handled and teamwork effective - work load equitably distributed. Stenographic and typing production still below Seat of Government average. Improvement ordered.

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Enclosure

- 1 - Mr. Callahan (Att: Mr. C. R. Davidson) (sent separately)
- 1 - Personnel file of Assistant Director William C. Sullivan
- 1 - Personnel file of Inspector Joseph A. Sizoo
- 1 - Personnel file of Inspector Donald E. Moore

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ORIGINAL DOCUMENT SENT TO  
NATIONAL ARCHIVES (NIA)  
DATE 3-9-98 BY JKP/DP

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Memorandum for Mr. Tolson

Re: Inspection - Domestic Intelligence Division

Improvement noted in prevention of correspondence errors. Reduction ordered in amount of delinquent routine mail. 8 form errors detected in 435 active files reviewed (1.84%) and 1 substantive error (0.23%). Necessary corrective action taken or ordered.

Personnel Matters - Very Good. (Last Inspection - Very Good.) Inspector recommending net reduction of 2 supervisors (handled separately). Personnel will then be adequate but not excessive. 113 agents and 150 clerical personnel now assigned. Personnel enthusiastic and very capable. Morale is excellent. All employees are gainfully employed. Overtime is productive and equitably shared. No overweight agents. 3 on limited duty, equitably sharing work load. Suggestion program, FBIRA participation, and submissions to "The Investigator" very satisfactory. Blood donor quota exceeded.

Contacts - Excellent. (Last Inspection - Very Good.) Speech program continues to be very effective. (143 speeches outside Bureau since last inspection.) Liaison representatives maintain close contact with civilian and military Government agencies. These operations are receiving excellent supervision.

RECOMMENDATIONS: (1) Assistant Director William C. Sullivan EOD 8/4/41, GS-18 @ \$20,000. In Domestic Intelligence Division since 6/4/54, designated Assistant Director 6/2/61. Mr. Sullivan is a learned, capable, hard-working administrator who enjoys the respect and cooperation of his subordinates. He exhibits an aggressive and enthusiastic approach to his assignment. Recommend attached letter be sent to Mr. Sullivan summarizing inspection findings.

(2) Inspector Joseph A. Sizoo, Number One Man, EOD 7/10/35 (clerk), 11/1/38 (Special Agent), aged 52, in Division since 9/15/53, GS-17 @ \$19,000. A very capable administrator with an excellent knowledge of problems associated with the Division. Has an enthusiastic, effective approach to his work and exercises mature, sound judgment. Mr. Sullivan advises Mr. Sizoo has natural ability as an administrator and because of his long and varied experience in this capacity, he is an assistant of tremendous value. Inspector concurs in these comments.

(3) Inspector Donald E. Moore, EOD 3/10/41, GS-17 @ \$18,500; in present position since 10/14/56, aged 44. Makes an excellent personal appearance and exhibits enthusiastic and aggressive attitude toward his work. He is Inspector

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Memo for Mr. Tolson

Re: Inspection - Domestic Intelligence Division

in Charge of the Espionage-Central Research Branch of the Division and has demonstrated excellent leadership and a thorough knowledge of his duties. He enjoys the utmost respect of all his subordinates. The accomplishments within his Branch since the last inspection have been commendable. Recommend he be considered for additional responsibilities consistent with the needs of the Bureau.

4. Recommendations concerning other personnel handled separately.

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Memo to Mr. Tolson  
Re: Inspection - Domestic Intelligence Division

DETAILS

**PHYSICAL CONDITION AND MAINTENANCE . . . . . VERY GOOD**

Division has occupied the entire sixth and eighth floors, Riddell Building, 1730 K Street, N. W., since 8/12/61. Space is adequate and well organized but has limited room for expansion. Additional personnel required to maintain security and flow of mail due to location outside Justice Building. Physical security is satisfactory.

Space is very well maintained. Minor housekeeping delinquencies noted and ordered corrected. Furniture and fixture needs are being properly requested and handled consistent with availability of funds. No delinquencies noted in condition or storage of three automobiles assigned to Division's Liaison Section.

**INVESTIGATIVE OPERATIONS . . . . . VERY GOOD**

Pending active matters handled by Division totaled 24,368 as of 10/31/62 (increase of 727 over 10/31/61). Field delinquency in these matters as of 10/31/62, 5.5% as compared with 8.4% at time of last inspection.

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In connection with current programs to identify illegal agents and penetrate Soviet-bloc espionage operations [redacted]

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On 11/16, 17/62 we arrested three Cubans in New York for conspiracy to commit sabotage. This was made possible through the development of a high-level informant. [redacted]

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[redacted] with considerable effectiveness. Total of 54 Cuban aliens now on Security Index representing increase of 38 since 10/5/62 and others are being considered under revised criteria.

Extensive and successful accomplishments also noted in regard to the [redacted]

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[redacted] and participation in South American Assessment Teams. (S)

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Memo for Mr. Tolson

Re: Inspection - Domestic Intelligence Division

[ ] highly placed informants continue to furnish extremely valuable information on plans and activities of Soviet Union and National Committee of Communist Party, USA, including funds furnished to Communist Party by Soviets. Penetration first made this year into the Socialist Workers Party's Trotsky School in New Jersey. [ ] informants made available to Department in connection with proceedings under Internal Security Act of 1950. Other informants have made significant progress and we now have a total of [ ] live informants in the Communist Party on all levels compared to [ ] as of 1/1/62. Programs in effect to replace [ ] informants exposed through testimony to date and others to be exposed in pending cases

11, 120 names on Security Index as of 11/23/62 represents slight decrease. 1053 individuals included in Section A of the Reserve Index. Emergency Detention Program is up to date. 1587 subversives interviewed during period 12/1/61 to 8/31/62 resulting in development of [ ] security informants, potential security informants and sources of information. Closely supervised disruptive and counterintelligence activities against the Communist Party have produced very good results both in United States and Mexico. [ ] Program has realized an estimated total of \$673, 321. 41 in savings since last inspection.

Central Research Section produced excellent results during last year in special project on Communism which appeared in final form in October. Liaison Section closely supervised and functioning effectively (See also Contacts). As of 10/31/62, 17, 465 investigations (including name checks) conducted in 1962 for foreign police and [ ] security agencies compared to 16, 995 during entire 1961. Defense plans of all offices in current status and being closely supervised.

Suggestion memoranda prepared by Inspector in effort to facilitate supervision or improve effectiveness in five individual situations. Division ordered by Inspector to give close attention to re-evaluation of two intelligence programs due to lack of productivity. [ ] Programs involved [ ]

[ ] in the San Francisco Division to the possibility of espionage approaches.

**ADMINISTRATIVE OPERATIONS . . . . . VERY GOOD**

Supervision of work well handled and very effective teamwork noted among officials at all levels. Work load found to be equitably distributed and closely followed by Division.

Stenographic and typist production 2. 19 pages per hour (last inspection 2. 37 pages per hour; current ~~SGC~~ average is 2. 86). Division ordered to stress production and direct more attention to eight stenographers with less than 90 days' experience. Mail flow satisfactory. Improvement noted in accuracy of outgoing correspondence. Division instructed to reduce amount of delinquent routine mail.

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Memo for Mr. Tolson  
Re: Inspection - Domestic Intelligence Division

(U) Registers, time and attendance, leave and inventory records properly maintained and no errors located. Odd-hour shifts necessary and justified. No deficiencies noted in tickler systems. [Mail covers and CS] Technical Informant quotas closely adhered to and carefully supervised.

Eight form errors detected in 435 active files reviewed (1.84%) and one substantive error (0.23%). Necessary corrective action taken or ordered to reduce these errors.

PERSONNEL MATTERS ..... VERY GOOD

Personnel appeared alert, enthusiastic and very capable. Morale is excellent. Harmonious working relations exist and all employees are gainfully occupied.

No derelictions noted in training programs. Lectures to New Agents have been limited somewhat concerning sensitive security matters as result of allegations by former SA [redacted] Conferences are well handled and constructive. Voluntary overtime appears adequate, productive and equitably shared by supervisory personnel (August - October, 1962, average 2 hours 26 minutes). Membership in the FBIRA is 100% and activities are well attended. Incentive Awards and commendation programs handled satisfactorily. Employees very active in Suggestion Program. Promotional Availability List is properly maintained; no errors noted in Position Classification Matters, exit interviews, or in operation of Division funds.

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Submissions to "The Investigator" were excellent. No abuses detected in clerical rest periods. Sick leave properly controlled. Agent personnel are within weight limits. Three agents presently on limited duty, all equitably sharing work load - justified. Division exceeded its quota under blood donor program.

Desk-by-desk analysis made of the work in each Section. Personnel steadily reduced since January, 1958, with basic work load essentially the same. Agents have been reduced from 151 to 113 and clerical employees from 161 to 150. Work of one supervisor in Liaison Section successfully absorbed since his departure in October. Inspector recommends in separate memoranda that this vacancy not be filled and that experienced supervisor who retired 11/21/62 be replaced for 90-day trial period by supervisor from another unit. With these two decreases, personnel will be adequate but not excessive.

CONTACTS ..... EXCELLENT

Assistant Director and several supervisors continue to actively participate in giving extremely effective speeches on Communism and Espionage

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Memo for Mr. Tolson

Re: Inspection - Domestic Intelligence Division

and Intelligence activities of Communist bloc countries before high quality groups. 143 such speeches handled by Division outside the Bureau since last inspection. Division's liaison representatives maintain close contact with civilian and military Government agencies on a regular basis and serve on several key committees including Interdepartmental Intelligence Conference (IIC), U. S. Intelligence Board, and the U. S. Evaluation Board. The Director is Chairman of the IIC and liaison provides the Executive Secretary and handles the paper work. Division well aware of liaison responsibilities and these operations are receiving excellent supervision.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont *Was*

DATE: 2-21-63

FROM : Mr. W. C. Sullivan *WCS - 414*SUBJECT: 

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Belmont	_____
Mohr	_____
Casper	_____
Callahan	_____
Conrad	_____
DeLoach	_____
Evans	_____
Gale	_____
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Tele. Room	_____
Holmes	_____
Gandy	_____

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Enclosed will be found an airtel from the Albuquerque Field Division conveying an invitation from the above-captioned person to me to speak at the New Mexico State American Legion Convention to be held in Roswell, New Mexico, on 7-20-63.

has for years been a contact of the Albuquerque Office and is a very strong, loyal supporter of the FBI.

While I do not believe I should spare time from my regular work to accept this invitation, the Bureau may want to give consideration to inquiring if a substitute would be acceptable in view of  years of support of the FBI.

In view of the above, it is suggested that this memorandum be referred to Crime Records in order that correspondence can be handled in this matter.

RECOMMENDATION:

That this memorandum be referred to Crime Records and inquiry made to see if a substitute speaker would be acceptable.

Enclosure

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. H.A. Jones
- 1 - Mr. Morrell
- 1 - Mr. J.A. Sizoo
- 1 - Mr. D.E. Moore

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont *WCS*

DATE: February 27, 1963

FROM : Mr. W. C. Sullivan *WCS*

1-Mr. Belmont 1-Mr. Casper  
 1-Mr. Sullivan 1-Mr. Moore  
 1-Mr. Mohr 1-Mr. Sizoo  
 1-Mr. Gale 1-Mr. Callahan

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SUBJECT: SPECIAL AGENT PERSONNEL

There is an old saying that on some occasions one can be so close to a subject that it is difficult to tell the woods from the trees. By the same token, it may be said that in the Bureau we are so close to our personnel that we do not always see them as they actually are. For some years, because of lecturing, I have been meeting a considerable number of our Special Agent personnel throughout the country. Last Saturday night I lectured in Augusta, Georgia, and Sunday night again in Greenville, South Carolina. In each place I met and talked with Resident Agents in these two cities. I found them to be typical of the Agents that I have talked to throughout the country, and as I was returning to Washington, the thought crossed my mind that these men stand out quite clearly for these reasons: (1) they are most cooperative and helpful in every detail; (2) they are surprisingly well informed on the life in their communities--law enforcement, educational, economic, political, and religious; (3) they are interested in talking about the Bureau and its work in a wholesome and healthy manner; (4) almost without exception these Agents are participating in one or more local organizations, such as teaching Sunday School in a church, being active in parent-teacher groups, helping with the Boy Scouts, etc.

I have always been interested in talking with these men and asking them about their activities, both official and unofficial, in their communities and on the basis of this I make the above observations. I cannot help but believe that as a whole our Agents are not only making a substantial contribution to this Bureau but are also making a commendable contribution to the life of their communities. What they do in their communities--in churches, educational organizations, youth groups, etc.--does not too often come to our attention and there is a tendency on our part to overlook it. But I do believe it is important, and rarely ever do I talk to these Agents without coming away feeling that we do have as a whole a remarkably fine group of men. Granted, we have had our failures and a few despicable characters like [redacted] and [redacted]

Such failures come of necessity to our attention and on such occasions occupy our time; whereas, the thousands of our Agents who make the kind of contributions that I have mentioned do not usually come to mind too often. Nevertheless, they are certainly very much present and when you put this fine group of men along side our relatively few failures, the conclusion is inescapable that percentage wise we undoubtedly have the finest personnel of any organization in the country, be it Government or private.

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Memorandum to Mr. Belmont  
Re: Special Agent Personnel

This is a memorandum that I have been tempted to write a number of times during the past year but never did get around to it. However, my experiences this past Saturday and Sunday with Agent personnel in Georgia and South Carolina brought it to mind once again.

RECOMMENDATION:

For your information.

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a truly penetrating observa-  
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*TO : Mr. Tolson *Vp*

DATE: March 15, 1963

FROM : Mr. Mohr

SUBJECT: WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN  
ALEX ROSEN  
ASSISTANT DIRECTORS

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Mohr	_____
DeLoach	_____
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Malone	_____
Rosen	_____
Sullivan	_____
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## OUTSTANDING ANNUAL PERFORMANCE RATINGS

Pursuant to the Director's instructions that all members of the Executive Conference be given Outstanding annual performance ratings, there are attached such ratings in duplicate covering Mr. Sullivan's and Mr. Rosen's services from April 1, 1962, through March 31, 1963. Mr. Belmont has signed these ratings as Rating Official.

In the event you approve these ratings, I respectfully request that you sign both the original and copy of each of them as the Reviewing Official and the Director sign both the original and copy of each of them as the Approving Official. Thereafter, they must be submitted to the Deputy Attorney General in the Department for approval by the Efficiency Awards Committee. Upon approval of these ratings by the Efficiency Awards Committee, they will be returned to the Bureau and Mr. Sullivan and Mr. Rosen each will be furnished a copy of his rating. They will also be entitled to cash incentive awards under the provisions of the Incentive Awards Plan. You recall that the Director has authorization under the delegation from the Attorney General to approve such awards up to \$500, which is the customary amount that has been approved for Assistant Directors and above. For officials below the level of Assistant Director, who are in Grade GS 16 or above, it has been customary to approve awards of \$400. For those in Grades GS 15 through GS 13 awards of \$300 have been approved and \$200 awards for those in Grade GS 12 and below.

Should you agree with the foregoing, these ratings will be forwarded to the Department on 4-1-63, together with Outstanding ratings for all members of the Executive Conference.

RECOMMENDATION:

That you, as Reviewing Official, and the Director, as Approving Official, sign the original and copy of the attached Outstanding performance ratings for Messrs. Sullivan and Rosen and upon approval of the ratings by the Efficiency Awards Committee of the Department they be approved for awards of \$500.

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Enclosures  
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April 9, 1963

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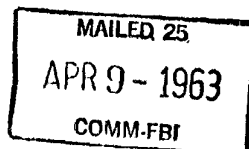
Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Bill:

It is certainly a pleasure to advise you that your services for the period April 1, 1962, to March 31, 1963, have merited an Outstanding performance rating which has been approved by the Efficiency Awards Committee of the Department. You may retain the enclosed copy of this rating.

There is also enclosed a check in the amount of \$410.00, representing an award of \$500.00, less withholding tax, which I have approved for you in recognition of this splendid achievement. You have displayed sincere dedication to the work of the Bureau and exceptional leadership in carrying out your heavy responsibilities during the past year. I want you to know I am most appreciative.

Sincerely,  
J. Edgar Hoover



Enclosures (2)

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Award #1043-63

NOTE: Salutation per File.

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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

**In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.**

Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

For inclusion in the fund to be paid to the designated beneficiary of any Special Agent of the FBI who has previously contributed to this fund and who dies from any cause except self-destruction while employed as a Special Agent, I am forwarding herewith **(by Check - Money Order)** the sum of \$10, payable to the Assistant Director, Administrative Division, FBI, to be included in said fund. Payment will be made for death by self-destruction after the Agent has been a member of the fund for a continuous period of two years. It is understood and agreed that the sum tendered herewith is a voluntary, gratuitous contribution to said fund which I understand is to be administered in the following manner.

The Director of the FBI will appoint a committee which shall consider all matters pertaining to the acquisition, safe keeping and expending of said fund, which committee will recommend appropriate action to the Director in pertinent matters. The Assistant Director of the Administrative Division of the FBI shall receive all contributions and account for same to the Director. Upon the death of any Special Agent who is a member of said fund the appointed committee will consider the case and submit a recommendation to the Director as to its conclusions. Appropriate instructions will then be issued to the Assistant Director of the Administrative Division, directing him to pay to the designated beneficiary the sum of \$10,000. The liability of the fund shall not under any circumstances exceed the amount of monies in the fund at the time any liability shall occur.

**EXECUTE IN DUPLICATE AND SUBMIT BOTH COPIES TO THE BUREAU**

Official Bureau Name (please type or print)	Date	Office of Assignment (or SOG Division)
SA <b>WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN</b>	<b>3/20/63</b>	<b>Front Office Domestic Intelligence Div.</b>

The following person is designated as my beneficiary for Special Agents Insurance Fund:

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female)	Relationship
<b>Marion L. Sullivan</b>	<b>Wife</b>
Address	
<b>2310 64th Avenue, Cheverly, Maryland</b>	
Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship
[Redacted] to [Redacted]	<b>Children</b>
Address <b>share and share alike, equally.</b>	
[Redacted]	

The following person is designated as my beneficiary under the Chas. S. Ross Fund providing \$1500 death benefit to beneficiary of agents killed in the line of duty, other than travel accidents.

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female)	Relationship
<b>Marion L. Sullivan</b>	<b>Wife</b>
Address	
<b>2310 64th Avenue, Cheverly, Maryland</b>	
Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship
[Redacted] to [Redacted]	<b>Children</b>
Address <b>share and share alike, equally.</b>	
[Redacted]	

Very truly yours,

*William C. Sullivan*  
Special Agent

*3-20-63*

RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

March 12, 1963

I certify that I have received the following Government property for official use:

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Copy #4 of Training Document # 1, "Fractical Training Methods for  
FBI Schools"

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READ

The Government property which you hereby acknowledge  
is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care  
of it and returning it when its use has been completed.  
DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN  
ANY WAY.

Very truly yours, PER [signature]

(Signature) William C. Sullivan

(Typed name) William C. Sullivan

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REC-12

February 28, 1963

[Redacted]  
The American Legion  
Department of New Mexico  
3205 Central Avenue, Northeast  
Albuquerque, New Mexico

Dear [Redacted]

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Mr. Henry O. Hawkins, Special Agent in Charge of our Albuquerque Office, has referred your letter of February 13th to me.

While we appreciate your thoughtfulness in inviting Assistant Director William C. Sullivan to speak at your Department's Convention on July 20th, the pressure of official business precludes Mr. Sullivan's acceptance. However, it would be a pleasure to designate one of my other associates to address your group. In the event this should meet with your approval please contact me and I will make the necessary arrangements.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - Mr. Sullivan

NOTE: In Sullivan to Belmont memo dated 2-21-63 it was recommended and approved that Mr. Sullivan decline this invitation and that an Assistant be offered as a substitute. Bufiles contain no derogatory information identifiable with [Redacted] with whom [Redacted] have enjoyed prior cordial correspondence, last outgoing 12-30-58. Bufiles contain no information identifiable with [Redacted]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : A. H. BELMONT

DATE: April 7, 1963

FROM : W. C. SULLIVAN

SUBJECT: COSMOS CLUB  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Belmont	_____
Mohr	_____
Casper	_____
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A number of months ago I advised the Bureau that I had been nominated for membership in the above-captioned Club and permission was given by the Bureau to accept in the event that an invitation was given to join. This Club is made up of authors, lecturers, scientists, journalists, political analysts, commentators, professors, et cetera. The only purpose in accepting membership if offered is to work among these people and develop as many as possible as supporters and contacts of the FBI on this particular level. Membership, if granted, will cost me about \$200 to \$300 a year but I am willing to spend this amount if something can be accomplished with men who in the main are active in academic communities and other similar areas.

It takes about one year for this Club to pass upon a nomination. The time for this determination is about to arrive in my case. I have been advised that the Cosmos Club may write to the Director concerning my name and nomination.

RECOMMENDATION:

For the information of the Director.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. J. P. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. J. A. Sizoo
- 1 - Mr. D. E. Moore
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan

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# FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

## REPORT OF PERFORMANCE RATING

Name of Employee: WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN

Where Assigned: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION  
(Division) (Section, Unit)

Official Position Title: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

Rating Period: from APRIL 1, 1962 to MARCH 31, 1963

ADJECTIVE RATING: OUTSTANDING  
Outstanding, Excellent, Satisfactory, Unsatisfactory

Employee's  
Initials

Rated by:	<u><i>A. V. Belmont</i></u> Signature	<u>Assistant to the Director</u> Title	<u>4-1-63</u> Date
Reviewed by:	<u><i>Clyde A. Tolson</i></u> Signature	<u>Associate Director</u> Title	<u>4-1-63</u> Date
Rating Approved by:	<u><i>J. Edgar Hoover</i></u> Signature	<u>Director</u> Title	<u>4-1-63</u> Date

### TYPE OF REPORT

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**WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN  
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR  
DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION**

Mr. Sullivan has discharged his numerous and varied responsibilities in such a **superior** fashion during the period April 1, 1962, to March 31, 1963, that the rating of Outstanding is well deserved.

In his capacity of Assistant Director in charge of the Domestic Intelligence Division, Mr. Sullivan is responsible for the direction of the Bureau's investigation of all matters relating to Internal Security, Subversive Controls, Nationalities Intelligence, Espionage and Counterespionage, as well as domestic and foreign liaison activities. Mr. Sullivan is possessed of tremendous enthusiasm and drive and instills in the personnel in his division these qualities and the desire to perform outstanding services. He has the exceptional ability to analyze a situation fully and thoroughly in rapid manner and combines this with his long years of experience and common sense to arrive at the most logical conclusions and courses of action. As the result of his unusual personal attributes he is most effective in his contacts with highly placed Government officials, as well as with individuals in all walks of life.

Mr. Sullivan is a particularly talented public speaker and, as the result of his numerous personal appearances as a Bureau representative, has immeasurably enhanced the prestige of the FBI and won considerable support for the Director's fight against the evils of communism. He is an acknowledged authority on all facets of communism.

The acuteness of the international situation has greatly increased the Bureau's investigative activities in the internal security and intelligence fields. Mr. Sullivan has made major

contributions to the continued success the Bureau has realized in these areas. He has kept the Director and other Bureau officials promptly and fully apprised of matters of concern to the FBI.

Mr. Sullivan has clearly demonstrated that he is entirely capable of directing the heavy responsibilities of his office which has an important bearing on the over-all success of the Bureau in discharging its ever-increasing obligations. He has served the Bureau with distinction and has certainly earned an Outstanding rating for the superior manner in which he has performed during the past year.



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April 5, 1963

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington 25, D. C.

My dear Mr. Hoover:

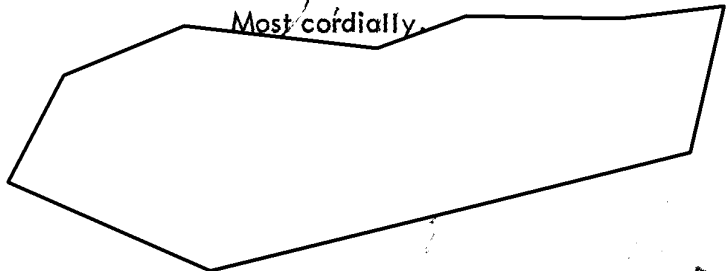
Several of us who are members of the Cosmos Club have had the pleasure of presenting the name of Mr. William C. Sullivan for membership in our organization.

In addition to letters from Club members in support of our nomination, the Admissions Committee also welcomes letters from a very few non-members. In this connection, we would sincerely appreciate your writing such a note, stating why you feel Mr. Sullivan's special scholastic abilities, qualities of leadership in his chosen profession, dedication to service and other characteristics of merit qualify him for membership in the Cosmos Club.

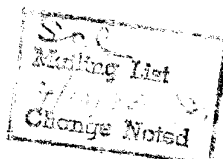
Please address your letter to the Admissions Committee, Cosmos Club, 2121 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. If it is convenient for you to send me a carbon copy of your letter, I would appreciate having it.

Thank you very much for your cooperation.

Most cordially,



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April 10, 1963

Admissions Committee

~~Cosmos Club~~

2121 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W.

Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

At the request of [redacted] it is indeed a pleasure to recommend Mr. William C. Sullivan for membership in your organization.

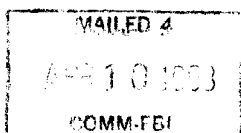
As Assistant Director in charge of the FBI's Domestic Intelligence Division, Mr. Sullivan is one of the top ranking officials of this Bureau. He entered on duty with the FBI as a Special Agent on August 4, 1941, and rose to his present responsible position because of his superior abilities and qualities of leadership.

Mr. Sullivan holds Bachelor of Arts and Master of Education degrees and is a Research Associate in the Hoover Institution on War, Revolution, and Peace, of Stanford University. Through study and experience, he is one of this country's outstanding authorities on communism and internal security and has served as guest lecturer throughout the United States.

I do not feel it is necessary to comment specifically concerning Mr. Sullivan's character and integrity since the position he holds expresses my confidence in him. In my opinion he is completely qualified for membership in the Cosmos Club.

Very truly yours,

J. Edgar Hoover



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NOTE: [redacted] is on the Special Correspondents' List.

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July 5, 1963

PERSONAL

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Bill:

I was certainly impressed with your superb over-all direction of the handling of the Espionage-Conspiracy case involving [redacted] and others and I do not want the opportunity to pass without commending you.

The close attention you afforded this delicate and difficult matter was of the highest caliber and your performance was indicative of your ability to handle assignments of this nature. I know that you had made other plans and at considerable sacrifice and personal inconvenience you cancelled them and returned to work in order to be on hand when this case broke. I am most appreciative of your dedicated and extremely capable services.

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Sincerely,  
J. Edgar Hoover

1 - Mr. M. A. Jones (Sent Direct)

1 - Miss [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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NOTE: Salutation per file.  
Based on memorandum Moore to Sullivan 7-3-63 with addendum  
of Administrative Division 7-5-63 re: [redacted] ESPIONAGE-  
RUSSIA."

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RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

JUNE 28, 1963

I certify that I have received the following Government property for official use:

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D. C. OFFICIAL PARKING PERMIT, EXPIRES 6-30-64  
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The Government property which you hereby acknowledge is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care of it and returning it when its use has been completed. DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN ANY WAY.

Very truly yours

(Signature)

(Typed name) William C. Sullivan

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Mr. Rosen	/
Mr. Sullivan	/
Mr. Tavel	/
Mr. Trotter	/
Tele. Room	/
Miss Holmes	/
Miss Gandy	/

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I had the pleasure of attending a reception and dinner for Mr. William C. Sullivan of your office on his recent trip to St. Paul.

It was certainly a pleasure meeting Mr. Sullivan and I was greatly impressed by his discussion of Communism.

I would like to express my appreciation for your cooperation in allowing Mr. Sullivan to appear at the St. Paul Chamber of Commerce reception and dinner and would also like to express my appreciation for the fine work being done by the men of your Bureau.

Very truly yours,



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August 2, 1963

PERSONAL

Dear Bill:

I doubt you will ever really know how much pleasure it gives me to extend my personal and warmest regards and congratulations to you on your Twenty-second Anniversary in the FBI. Your sacrifices and staunch support throughout the years are well known to me and, even more, are deeply appreciated and will never be forgotten. I say with all sincerity that I hope the Bureau will have the benefit of your loyal and devoted service for many, many years.

Sincerely,

J. E. H.

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 9/23/63

FROM : ~~SAC~~, BOSTON (80-4-21,185)

Att: CRIME RECORDS DIVISION

SUBJECT: NEW ENGLAND ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF  
POLICE, INC., CONFERENCE  
SEPTEMBER 23, 1963  
BRETTON WOODS, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Today, Assistant Director WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN delivered a talk before the Conference presently in session at Bretton Woods, New Hampshire. His talk was entitled, "COMMUNISM: THE GREATEST CHALLENGE OF OUR TIME".

Mr. SULLIVAN made an excellent presentation, was well-received by the entire audience and at the conclusion received a standing ovation. Subsequent to his presentation numerous members of the Association talked to Mr. SULLIVAN concerning his talk and exhibited a tremendous interest in the subject matter which he covered.

Mr. SULLIVAN certainly should be commended for the fine presentation he made before this group and it certainly reflected the tremendous amount of work in preparing his talk. Further details concerning the Conference will be furnished the Bureau upon the completion of the Conference.

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September 26, 1963

PERSONAL

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

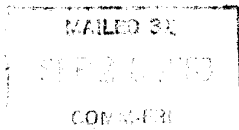
Dear Bill:

I have learned of the superior manner in which you talked on the subject "Communism: The Greatest Challenge of our Time" before the conference of the New England Association of Chiefs of Police, Inc., and I do not want the occasion to pass without commending you.

You delivered your speech with a great deal of effectiveness and skill, displaying a vast knowledge of this complicated and vitally important subject. The manner in which you represented the FBI was outstanding and I want you to know your splendid efforts are appreciated.

Sincerely,  
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Based on letter from Boston 9-23-63 re: "New England Association Chiefs of Police, Inc., Conference, September 23, 1963, Bretton New Hampshire."

NOTE: Salutation per Reading Room.

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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

**In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.**

Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

For inclusion in the fund to be paid to the designated beneficiary of any Special Agent of the FBI who has previously contributed to this fund and who dies from any cause except self-destruction while employed as a Special Agent, I am forwarding herewith **(by Check - Money Order)** the sum of \$10, payable to S.A.I.F., to be included in said fund. Payment will be made for death by self-destruction after the Agent has been a member of the fund for a continuous period of two years. It is understood and agreed that the sum tendered herewith is a voluntary, gratuitous contribution to said fund which I understand is to be administered in the following manner.

The Director of the FBI will appoint a committee which shall consider all matters pertaining to the acquisition, safe keeping and expending of said fund, which committee will recommend appropriate action to the Director in pertinent matters. The Assistant Director of the Administrative Division of the FBI shall receive all contributions and account for same to the Director. Upon the death of any Special Agent who is a member of said fund the appointed committee will consider the case and submit a recommendation to the Director as to its conclusions. Appropriate instructions will then be issued to the Assistant Director of the Administrative Division, directing him to pay to the designated beneficiary the sum of \$10,000. The liability of the fund shall not under any circumstances exceed the amount of monies in the fund at the time any liability shall occur.

**EXECUTE IN DUPLICATE AND SUBMIT BOTH COPIES TO THE BUREAU**

Official Bureau Name (please type or print)	Date	Office of Assignment (or SOG Division)
SA <b>WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN</b>	<b>July 30, 1963</b>	<b>Front Office Domestic Intelligence Div</b>

The following person is designated as my beneficiary for Special Agents Insurance Fund:

Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female)	Relationship
<b>Marion L. Sullivan</b>	<b>Wife</b>

Address

**2810 64th Avenue, Cheverly, Maryland**

Name (contingent beneficiary, if desired; use given first name if female)	Relationship
[Redacted]	<b>to Children</b>

Address **share and share alike, equally.**

[Redacted]

The following person is designated as my beneficiary under the Chas. S. Ross Fund providing \$1500 death benefit to beneficiary of agents killed in the line of duty, other than travel accidents.

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Name (primary beneficiary; use given first name if female)	Relationship
<b>Marion L. Sullivan</b>	<b>Wife</b>

Address

**2810 64th Avenue, Cheverly, Maryland**

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[Redacted]	<b>to Children</b>

Address **share and share alike, equally.**

[Redacted]

Very truly yours,

Payment Received  
Special Agents Insurance Fund

JUL 31 1963

J. Edgar Hoover, Director

*William C. Sullivan*  
Special Agent

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RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

October 30, 1963

I certify that I have ~~received~~ the following Government property for official use:  
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2 - Master keys to the 6th and 8th floors of the Riddell Bldg.

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The Government property which you hereby acknowledge is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care of it and returning it when its use has been completed. DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN ANY WAY.

Very truly yours,

(Signature)

William C. Sullivan  
(Typed name)

RECEIPT FOR GOVERNMENT PROPERTY  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

10-28-63

I certify that I have ~~received~~ the following Government property for official use:  
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5 - Master Keys to the Riddell Building (both 6th and 8th floors)  
~~2 - Keys to 8th floor~~ *ret'd to*  *10/29/63*

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The Government property which you hereby acknowledge is charged to you and you are responsible for taking care of it and returning it when its use has been completed. DO NOT MARK OR WRITE ON IT OR MUTILATE IT IN ANY WAY.

Very truly yours,

(Signature)

*William C. Sullivan*  
(Typed name) William C. Sullivan

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November 1, 1963

PERSONAL

Mr. William C. Sullivan  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Bill:

You personally supervised the investigation at the Seat of Government of the Espionage case involving [redacted] and others in a superior manner and I am taking this occasion to commend you.

Your splendid actions in urging the field to utilize imagination and aggressiveness in this matter, yet cautioning them as to the need for patience in order that we would have a case that would stand up in court were exemplary. I want you to know of my appreciation.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - Mr. M. A. Jones (Sent Direct)

1 - Miss [redacted] (Sent Direct)

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Based on memo Branigan to Sullivan 10/31/63 and addendum Administrative Division 10/31/63 re [redacted] ESPIONAGE-RUSSIA."

Note: Salutation per Reading Room.

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